

PEART ON WITNESS STAND

Tells How Commissioner, Peart, Was Killed

Special to The News.
BEAUMONT, Tex., Aug. 21.—Mrs. P. B. Peart, former wife of the man on trial for the murder of Albert A. Peart, at the time the latter was fatally shot on Sixth street last May, took the stand this afternoon as the first and principal witness of the state.

Mrs. Peart in a calm and even voice answered the conventional questions put to her by C. W. Howitt, attorney for the defense, telling the circumstances surrounding her married life with Peart. She said they were married 22 years ago and lived together until two years ago when they separated.

Friends For Years
She told of Peart's employment during this time and said that he had worked in various jobs around the refinery. Much stress was placed on an illness of Peart which the witness characterized as epilepsy. It developed, Mrs. Peart said, eight or nine months before they were separated. Mrs. Peart was asked by the counsel for the defense how long she had known Mrs. Peart before her death four years ago. She answered that she had been a close friend of the woman for 22 years and she was then asked how well she had known Mr. Peart after the death of his wife. She replied she had been a staunch friend of Mr. Peart the same as she had been "when Mrs. Peart was living."

The defense in the early afternoon's proceedings did not disclose a point on which it would build its case. It is expected that Mrs. Peart will be on the stand the major part of the afternoon.

Jacobs Driven
Judge George C. Owen in whose 58th district court the case is being tried, interrupted proceedings shortly after Mrs. Peart took the stand to put out of the courtroom all witnesses whether called by the state or the defense.

Mrs. Peart was dressed in blue with a black lace veil hung from her hat. With Peart sat his father and his brother, one on either side of him.

The following jurors completed the list which is trying the case: H. C. Chandler, bookkeeper, Beaumont; J. J. Stripling, Texas company, Port Arthur; W. W. Cooper, railway clerk, Beaumont; J. D. Stephenson, carpenter, Port Arthur; J. A. Stewart, farmer, Beaumont; C. A. Batehiller, Texas company, Port Arthur, and Will Guber, farmer, Rosedale.

Water Mains for Two Streets Asked

Following the presentation of a petition to the city commissioners this morning, Mayor J. P. Logan for it is known that steps to install water mains along Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets, between Stillwell and Van der Voort boulevards will be taken in the near future. The matter was turned over to J. O. Herpin, city engineer, for investigation.

BOY, 9, IS SHOT

Bullet Enters His Head; Dies Instantly

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 21.—Richard Trice, 9, was accidentally shot and killed today at Breerton on the Dallas-Fort Worth interurban line. With another boy, Trice was playing with an old pistol they found, when it exploded, the bullet entering the boy's head, killing him instantly.

The Old Burg Is Tame Now Says Pioneer

"The old burg isn't what she used to be," sighed an Old Timer at police station Tuesday morning.

"Now s'ee, they uster have a full house putty nigh every day in the jail house, but yesterday from 6 o'clock in the mornin' till 6 o'clock at night they wasn't a single arrest. Not even a guy for speedin', or hounkin' w'one, or beatin' his wife, or some other slight violation."

"Reformers has sold the w'orld was goin' to grass, but arter all I ges she ain't so worse."

"Yes s'ee, the jail yesterday didn't hev any more prisoners than a pool hall has whiskers."

"Now takin' back a few years—we'll that is different. Popul had changed, for they got the same laws to break, only they ain't breakin' 'em. Like all folks, me and the ole woman has us many arguments as us nister, ole woman sorta smugles closer and decides that she ain't got no use for these new creensures from Houston or Beaumont."

"But I've lived both then and now and I'm havin' as much fun now as I did then, and I guess everybody else is too, only they ain't breakin' no many laws havin' it. Only it shore sots me wonderin' when I see an empty jail."

Havin' got rid of what was closest his heart, the Old Timer spit emphatically and ambled into the street.

STATE OFFICER ASKS OIL PROBE

Hints at Anti-Trust Suits To Be Filed

AUSTIN, Texas, Aug. 21.—A petition for an investigation of the affairs of persons engaged in producing and marketing crude petroleum and its products was filed today with the oil and gas division of the state railroad commission here. The petition calling for a complete investigation of pipeline companies and their connections with producing and refining companies, was filed by Representative W. C. Morgan of Liberty county.

In making the application for an ex parte investigation, Morgan declared he intends to show every angle of the situation and that he believes there will be enough evidence shown to cause filing of anti-trust suits.

Morgan declared he felt justified in bringing the matter to the attention of the commission because of laws governing common carriers and other corporations and their joint affiliation. The petition also states that the application is brought so that a "fair and equitable state policy may be determined upon and passed for the interests of all persons engaged in the industry and for the public welfare."

Iron Worker Plunges From Sixth Story

Houston, Aug. 21.—T. E. Howell, 22, an iron worker, plunged from the sixth story from the South-Rite cathedral, under construction, here today, resulting in possibly fatal injuries. An iron beam, being swung into place, struck the beam on which Howell was sitting, knocking him off.

Stray Dogs Insist On Same Kennel

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., Aug. 21.—Rare devotion is shown by two dogs under the care of the Animal Rescue League. The dogs were picked up together near Forty-fifth and Sansom streets, where the residents say that they had been wandering for almost a week.

When they were placed in the league kennels, the yard was soon in an uproar with the barking and whining of both dogs. After offers of food failed to appease them the dogs were placed together in one kennel. There they have remained quietly ever since, and refuse to be separated for even a few minutes.

"It is the most remarkable incident of devotion between dogs that I have ever witnessed," Mrs. T. F. Halver, secretary of the league, said. "If they were separated I am sure that they would grieve themselves to death."

U. S. CHAMBER OPPOSES BARNES

Outlines Policies in Memo to Coolidge

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Organized American business, in the person of a delegation of the United States Chamber of Commerce, today notified President Coolidge of the stand taken by business on the principal problems confronting his administration.

The delegation headed by Julius H. Barnes, president of the chamber called at the White House and left with Mr. Coolidge a memorandum outlining the business viewpoint on major national questions. The memorandum laid emphasis on the keeping the government out of business as much as possible. It suggested that some plan, alternative to that of government operation of the shipping board ships be found to preserve private initiative in shipping. That present tax laws, he revised, that permission and not compulsory consolidation of railroads be favored by the administration, and voiced opposition to a soldier bonus.

Port Neches Bus Given a Charter

Ordinance \$50, granting the Port Arthur-Port Neches bus line company a 10-year charter to operate a bus line of transportation between Port Arthur and Port Neches was passed to its third reading this morning during the regular session of city commission.

The ordinance grants the bus company permission to operate on any street not traversed by the interurban or street railway company, and contains clauses forcing the organization to vacate any street they now use in the event a street railway line should be built there.

PENILESS FOR 18 YEARS NOW GETS \$10 WEEKLY

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Sam Digracio and Marie have been married eighteen years. Sam never has given her a cent since that day, she told Judge John F. Haas, in the court of domestic relations.

Digracio was arraigned on a charge of non-support. "Judge," said Mrs. Digracio, "I don't want any money from him now. I'm getting along all right." Digracio, it was testified, threatened to kill his wife. The case was continued until November 1, and Digracio ordered to pay \$10 a week.

JAP SUB FLOUNDERS

TOKYO, Aug. 21.—The new Japanese submarine Koko has floundered at sea in a gale and the entire crew of 130 men and officers are believed to have perished, according to radio advices today.

NEW BUS LAW PASSES COUNCIL

Puts Ban on Taxi Cabs as Well

It is a violation of city statutes, punishable by a fine of \$200 to operate an auto system of transportation from Beaumont or any other community into the city of Port Arthur.

The ordinance, No. 590, making such a system of transportation a misdemeanor was passed finally by the city commission during its regular session this morning and now becomes a law to be enforced by the city police department. The new statute, drafted for the primary purpose of blocking efforts to inaugurate a new bus line between this city and Beaumont, contains a lengthy clause defining just what a "bus line" constitutes, it being pointed out that the operation of any auto between the two cities for hire comes under the ban of the ordinance.

When this section was read this morning, the question of whether that referred to autos operating under schedules was raised by Mayor Frank Logan, who moved the adoption of the ordinance. The mayor, addressing Attorney Fred White, queried:

"Does that mean auto operating under schedules, Mr. White?"

White: "It means any auto carrying persons for hire."

Although the ordinance as passed this morning contains no clause to that effect, Mayor Logan expressed the opinion following commission meeting that its contents are aimed at bus companies, organizations or lines proposing to operate on a schedule of schedule. Otherwise, it was pointed out by citizens present at the meeting today, the ordinance as read apparently has the effect of placing a ban on all auto services proposing to carry persons for hire whether the service is operated on a schedule or not.

'Blue Man' of the Circus True Blue

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The "blue man" of circus fame was true blue. An autopsy upon Captain Fred Walters, side show favorite since 1891, showed that all his organs, skin, bones and muscles including his brain and heart, were as blue as his skin. The unusual hue was due to chronic silver poisoning.

7,000 KLANSMEN IN MARION, ILL., PARADE

MARION, Ill., Aug. 20.—Seven thousand Ku Klux Klansmen and their sympathizers paraded the streets of Marion for three hours today after a half-dozen Williamson county natives addressed the gathering from the courthouse, urging prohibition enforcement.

MARKETS

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Stocks were strong enough today to pretty well establish that end of the current recovery had not yet been seen. Further profit taking had to be absorbed in the morning trading but the action of this market was so impressive while this disposition was in progress that professionals lost no time in resuming operations for the rise in various sections of the list.

Possibly the best proof that responsibility for the rally remains in the same hands as last week was furnished by the ease with which American Can suddenly emerged from early irregularity and forced ahead to new high ground on the movement.

Stocks gathered increasing momentum on the recovery as the afternoon wore on, the advance attaining sensational proportions in a few specialties in the final dealings. Fisher Body soared to 180, an advance of 17 points which National Lead jumped 4 points to 110 and Gulf States Steel moved into a new high ground at \$13 against Monday's low of 73.

Industrial leaders also maintained a buoyant tone and the final prices were at the day's best levels.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The foreign exchange market closed higher. Sterling demand \$1.57, cables \$1.57, off 1/16; franc demand \$20.93, cables \$20.93, off 1/16; lire demand \$0.22, cables \$0.22, off 1/16; Belgian franc demand \$0.13, cables \$0.13, off 1/16; marks \$2.25, cables \$2.25, off 1/16.

NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS
U. S. Liberty, 3 1/2's, 100.10
U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4's, 98.10
U. S. Liberty, 1st 4's, 98.10
U. S. Liberty, 2nd 4's, 98.10
U. S. Liberty, 3rd 4's, 98.10
U. S. Liberty, 4th 4's, 98.10
Victory, 5's, 98.10

CHICAGO PRODUCE
BUTTER—12.16; Creamery, extras 14; creamery standards 12; first 10 1/2; seconds 7 1/2.
EGGS—15.91; Ordinaries 23 1/2; 24.

CHEESE—Twins 24 1/2; young Americans 24 1/2.
POULTRY—6 cups; Fowls 18 1/2; ducks 20; geese 16 1/2; turkeys 27; spurs 28; turkeys 20; roosters 14.

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RED CROSS IN NEED OF CASH

Pay Up Your Pledge, Is the Request

Are you behind with your pledges to the Red Cross?

This is the question put out today by officials in the organization with the word that a number of bills and items demanding immediate settlement are on, and sufficient funds are lacking.

"Many who have pledged financial aid to the Red Cross are behind in paying up, and the urgency of them attending to this matter at the present time cannot be stressed too forcibly," one of the officials said today.

BODY OF J. B. SMITH SENT TO CEDAR POINT

The body of J. B. Smith, aged about 60 years, who died suddenly about midnight Saturday night when stricken with a heart attack while at work on the coastwise docks, where he was employed as night watchman, was shipped out of Beaumont early today under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker, for Cedar Point, Texas, burial to be made there.

Surviving the deceased are his widow and several children residing in Port Arthur and in Louisiana.

Funeral Services

Funeral services for little Lucile Romero, 7-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Romero, of West Port Arthur, will be conducted at 5 o'clock this afternoon from the Catholic church and burial made in Calvary cemetery, under the direction of J. E. Grammer, undertaker. The infant died at 7 a. m. today.

666 Cures Malaria, Chills and Fever, Dengue or Bilious Fever.

666 quickly relieves Constipation, Biliousness, Headaches, Colds and LaGrippe.

WEATHER AND ROADS

Concordia—Cloudy; good.
Dodge City—Cloudy; good.
Goodland—Cloudy; good.
Kansas City—Raining; slippery.
Topeka—Cloudy; good.
Wichita—Somewhat cloudy; good.
Arkansas City—Part cloudy; good.
Oklahoma City—Part cloudy; good.
Tulsa—Part cloudy; good.
Chickasha—Clear; rough.
Sapulpa—Clear; fair.
Dallas—Clear; good.
Fort Worth—Clear; good.
Houston—Raining; wet.
San Antonio—Clear; good.

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Zemo, the Clean, Antiseptic Liquid, Just What You Need
Don't worry about Eczema or other skin troubles. You can have a clear, healthy skin by using Zemo obtained at any drug store for 35c, or extra large bottle at \$1.00.
Zemo generally removes Pimples, Blackheads, Blisters, Eczema and Ringworm and makes the skin clear and healthy. Zemo is a clean, penetrating, antiseptic liquid. It is easily applied and costs a mere trifle for each application. It is always dependable.

IF RUBBER TIRES GROW ON TREES THE GRASS WOULD SPROUT TACKS

Speed O'Day says—"Some people are unlucky with tires and others put dependency in—"

NORWALK CORDS

"Yours for Service"

Bert Hughes Tire Co

Phone 347

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And now to make your kitchen at once attractive and convenient

\$1.00 brings this new beauty to your kitchen

No longer need the kitchen be inadequately furnished. With this beautiful Hoosier Kitchen Cabinet, this most handsome kitchen convenience, you give your kitchen a new efficiency and a new attractiveness. And one dollar puts it in your home!

Keeping the kitchen orderly with much less work

Here in the Hoosier is your free uncluttered work table. And near it are utensils and ingredients assembled ready for your work. Everything has its place in the Hoosier. And so you find it easy to keep the kitchen neat and clean.

Only by actually using the Hoosier, can you learn how much it helps in the kitchen. But come to our store, and you will see at once how much it would add to the appearance of your kitchen.

Select your Hoosier tomorrow—enjoy it the next day

Come in tomorrow. Seat yourself at this beautiful new Hoosier—see how convenient it is—how much its appearance will add to your kitchen! Then you, too, will want the Hoosier.

THE STORE AHEAD

VAUGHAN-PACE

Hardware & Furniture Co.

SEE THOSE NEW ADVANCED STYLES IN

FALL DRESSES

We Now Have on Display

They'll Captivate You Moderately Priced

\$12.95

The styles and creations on these Dresses are of the latest innovations, shipped in by our buyer, who now is in the East. Canton Crepes, Crepe de Chine, Poriet Twill, Serge, Tricotine.

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A machine that dries curtains without hooks or pins

Think of having your curtains dried beautifully, and to measure, without the use of a single hook or pin.

That's what this remarkable machine enables us to do for you. (This is our curtain dryer.)

After your curtains have been gently washed in soft water and creamy suds we dry them, precisely to measure, on this improved dryer.

The edges of the curtain are carefully spread on a special kind of carding material, which holds them squarely and firmly, without straining or pulling. There are no pins or hooks of any kind to puncture or mar the fabric. Your finest laces can be dried on this wonderful machine and come back to you as fresh and shapely as when new.

Send us a trial pair for drying in this superior way—you will find this the most satisfactory of all methods for cleaning curtains.

The Home Laundry

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CHIEF WARS ON 'KID' DRIVERS

Parents Responsible, Says Covington

Chief today was declared by Chief Covington against minors under 16 years of age driving automobiles and he stated that the parents of minors would be held responsible for their children.

Chief's edict went out to all policemen and mounted traffic officers as the result of numerous complaints coming into police headquarters relative to the violations of this law.

Recently minors driving automobiles have figured in a series of wrecks and smashups which have been avoided had an old head been at the wheel," said Chief Covington this morning, "and have issued explicit orders that this law shall be enforced to the letter."

Parents owning cars will be held responsible for their children driving them. Chief Covington said, "it is of interest to the car owner that they refuse to allow their children to handle the machines."

Drivers went out this morning to get any boy or girl under 16 years of age caught driving a car in the city.

Organizations To Be in Labor Parade

Thirty-one organizations signifying will be represented in the Labor parade in Port Arthur, and in addition that others will join in the parade are reported today by officials of the Trades and Labor council.

Under the tentative plans drawn for the celebration of Labor Day this city the parade is scheduled to move up Procter about 10 a. m., and the afternoon and evening parade will be given over to sports, picnics, and other amusements.

Among the organizations which have floats and representatives in the parade are two fraternal bodies, the Elks and the Moose. A section of the parade also will be given over to floats of the city which desire to advertise floats.

Shipping Machinery Of City Breaks Down

As a result of a breakdown in the shipping machinery, the city is unable to fill wagons calling at the docks on Stillwell boulevard, and at 10 days or two weeks will be necessary before the work can be resumed. J. O. Herpin, city engineer, said today.

Until the time of the breakdown, about 750 loads of dirt had been hauled away by the city wagon and approximately 1,000 more for dirt are on file. Herpin said. He estimates that about 300 will be required to get all of the dirt removed from the banks of the Stillwell drainage ditch.

FINISHES HIS COLLEGE AFTER ELEVEN YEARS

FRANK J. WEAVER, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Frank J. Weaver, at the age of 40, has just finished his college course, which he started at Mount Union college, Alliance, O., 70 years ago.

According to word received here, Weaver, a former local resident, who now lives at Salina, Kan., was granted a degree in electrical engineering during the June commencement exercises at the University of Missouri.

Mr. Weaver has not let it be known what use he will make of his degree.

10 SPOONERS GET NO COURT SYMPATHY

ROCHESTER, Aug. 21.—Automobile spooners of the town of Gates are getting off with tolerant administration from constables parading the roads. Instead of telling "petters" to get on the officers are hailing them to court, where there is no hesitation about imposing a fine.

A new record of convictions for obstructing the highway last month has been filed in the county clerk's office from Justice of Peace Macwell's court, showing that nine motorists were fined or forfeited bail on a charge of obstructing the highway. For others were convicted of disorderly conduct.

ELK EMBLEMS

White gold and platinum diamond set emblem buttons at \$2.50 up. Also Elk's rings in new designs.

Small charms for Waldman chains.

Charms mounted with genuine Elk's Teeth in assorted new patterns.

Ladies' pins and rings with Elk's Emblems.

Such is the assortment of Elk's emblems to be found at—

W. P. McFarland
The Jeweler
431 Procter

CHAMPAGNE OR WATER?



The "City of Chattanooga," launched from Norfolk recently, has cause to feel happy. These four young women from Chattanooga journeyed to Norfolk and conducted the launching ceremonies. Left to right: Miss Suzanne James and Miss Peggy Williams, maids of honor; Miss Dorothy Patten, sponsor, and Mrs. George F. Milton, Jr., matron of honor. The new vessel is one of 6500 tons and will carry passengers and freight between Chattanooga and either New York or Boston.

GRAND JURY TO HEAR RANGERS

Report They Will Present Evidence

Information secured to date by rangers investigating the kidnapping of Clay and Carl Dunn Friday night was to be presented to the grand jury at Beaumont Tuesday afternoon, Captain Aldridge declared late this afternoon that such information would be lodged before the grand jury.

Additional interviews and questionings have been gone into by Captains Aldridge and Nicholas, sent here to investigate the disturbances of the past week, but the nature of the information gleaned has not yet been made public.

Verification of the rumor that one of the Dunn brothers had divulged the names of his assailants of last week would not be issued by either ranger captain working on the local case.

"We have been working on the case and may have something of importance to give to the press within the next 24 hours, but at present we are not at liberty to divulge any information," was the gist of a conversation relative to the progress of the investigation.

We repair all makes of Sewing Machines. Phoenix Furn. Co.—227.

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REMOVAL SALE

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Just four more days of Our Big Removal Sale. It closes Saturday night, and Monday we move into our new store, corner Procter and Ft. Worth. Big reductions in effect all this week to clean out stock before we move.

Every item reduced.

All Summer Suits
1-3 off

All Fall Suits
1-5 off

All Men's Shoes
1-5 off

All Trousers
1-5 off

All Eagle Shirts
1-5 off

All Work Clothes
Reduced Buy Now

Roos & Forst
An Assurance of Quality

HORSE BEFORE FAMILY. PEDDLER TELLS COURT

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—When John Nehrlack, an ice peddler, was asked in circuit court why he did not provide money to feed his children he testified that he has a horse to feed and that he believes a horse should come first. On his promise to support the children, the judge let him go with a warning.

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We pack and deliver Half Gallons and Up

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Wednesday Brings Special Reductions That You Can't Afford to Overlook!

39c Nurses' Linen 27c
All colors in 36-inch Nurses' Linen, now 27c yard.

To \$1.25 Linen 89c
36-inch Uncrushable Linen, in Rose, Tan, Yellow, Orchid, Green, etc.

\$4.95 Crepe Sahara \$2.95
40-inch Fashionable Crepe Sahara, in Oyster White, Tan and Brown.

89c Organdies 69c
40-inch Crisp Organdies in choice shades, special.

75c Organdies 59c
Beautiful quality 40-inch Organdies, all shades.

\$3.50 Silk Hose \$1.98
\$2.75 and \$3.50 White Silk Hose, full fashioned, Black Cat brand.

\$2.50 Silk Hose \$1.69
White only, Welder's brand, Pure Silk Hose with flat tailored seam.

\$1.75 Silk Hose \$1.19
Black Cat brand, Pure Silk Hose, all white and white with blue and yellow clocks.

Spring Coats Capes and Suits 1/2 PRICE

To \$3.25 Imported Ratines 98c Yard

Choice of All SUMMER HATS 1.98

AJL 49c Ratines 19c Yard

Special Selling of FALL HATS

4.98

Yes, the newest of Velvet and Duvelin Hats can be brought now at Hodges for only \$1.98. Shown in all colors and combinations, feather and ribbon trimmed.

1.98

We have a few summer Hats in stock which will be placed in one group at only \$1.98. Needless to say there are hats here that brought many times this price. Come early for these.

Dresses That Depict Fall Fashions Latest Tendencies

18.50 29.50

Satin, rich black satin is the big hit for fall wear, and these we have obtained to sell specially at \$18.50 and \$29.50. They offer style, quality and extra value.

Also included are Canton Crepe Dresses in Brown, Black, Tan and Navy, with pleated ruffles and panels for new touches and with trimmings of lace, embroidery and self materials.

BATHING SUITS HALF PRICE

There are many inviting serif days ahead and then a bathing suit at half price is worth buying even for next summer.

Fancy combinations, silk and wool, all colors.

\$3.95 Bathing Suits \$1.98
\$4.95 Bathing Suits \$2.48
\$6.95 Bathing Suits \$3.48
\$10.95 Bathing Suits \$5.48

SLEEVELESS SWEATERS REDUCED

It's the sleeveless sweater that is much in demand now. And these we show in either silk or wool, in innumerable colors and combinations, some in paisley effects. Note the reductions.

\$2.50 Sweaters \$1.98
\$3.50 Sweaters \$2.98
\$4.50 Sweaters \$3.79

NEW SILK TAILORED BLOUSES

\$5.95 and \$7.95

In Grey, White and Tan, you'll find likeable styles in these Silk Blouses that are quaintly tailored, some with Peter Pan collars, ideal to wear with your sweater.

Reductions on Madras Shirting
Every piece 36 inches wide, white and fancies included.
39c Madras, yard 31c
49c Madras, yard 39c
59c Madras, yard 47c
75c Madras, yard 59c
\$1.00 Madras, yard 79c

Reductions on Wash Goods
38c Silk Striped Voiles, 36-inch, yard 59c
To \$1.50 Fancy Organdies, 45-inch, yard 59c
39c Beach Cloth, 36-inch, all colors, yard 27c
To 75c figured Voiles, special, yard 43c
95c Ratine checked and striped Voiles, yard 59c
39c Organdie, eight shades, 40-inch, yard 29c
To \$1.25 Linen, 36-inch, five shades, yard 89c
59c Colored Indian Head, 36-inch, yard 45c
59c Plain Voiles, in all colors, a yard 45c
39c Japanese Crepe, all shades, a yard 34c
39c Nainsook, in pink and white, yard 32c
39c Nainsook, in pink and white, yard 49c
25c Dimity, peach, white, yellow, yard 19c

Reductions on Ratines
Deep cuts are offered on this favored summer sport fabric, all colors, solids, checks, stripes and plaids.
49c Ratines, special, yard 19c
69c Ratines, special, yard 29c
89c Ratines, special, yard 39c
\$1.25 Ratines, special, yard 49c
\$1.49 Ratines, special, yard 59c
\$1.69 Ratines, special, yard 69c
To \$2.25 Imported Ratines 98c

Reductions on Gingham
29c Gingham, 32-inch, per yard 25c
35c Gingham, 32-inch, per yard 29c
49c Gingham, 32-inch, per yard 45c
59c Gingham, 32-inch, per yard 49c
23c Gingham, 27-inch, per yard 15c
Tissue Gingham at greater reductions.

Reductions on Towels
15c Huck Towels, 28x18 size 11c
25c Huck Towels, 36x18 size 18c
69c Linen Towels, 36x18 size 59c

Table Linens One-Half Price
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39c Fancy Flaxon 19c Yard

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8.50 Pair

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YOU AND I

Calvin, 14-year-old son of President Coolidge, has been spending his summer vacation on a tobacco farm near Marlfield, Mass. A newspaper reporter found him carrying a tin of snuff, sweating in the broiling sun and being hauled by a team of mules and being hauled on drying racks, and riding eight miles each way to and from work on a bicycle.

Such a picture of the son of the ruler of the greatest republic in history is a comforting reminder of our system of democracy in which the humblest of us has a fighting chance to rise to the very tip-top. The democratic outlook is not quite as comforting in some other directions.

Young Calvin, son of President Coolidge, has been getting \$3.50 a day for his vacation work on a Massachusetts farm.

Twenty years ago it was a rare boy who made more than \$1 a day during vacation. A lot of us can recall mowing lawns 10 hours for 50 or 75 cents.

The modern boy doesn't know it, but he has a relatively easy existence compared with youths of the previous generation. And, on the average, it's just as true of grown-ups.

VICE PRESIDENTS
Six presidents of the United States have died in office and been automatically replaced by their political running-mates, the institution known as vice president.

This means that the chances are one in five that the vice president will become president by the accident of death.

Isn't it time to stop joking about the vice presidency and take it very seriously?

ESCAPE
A Memphis construction supervisor, W. O. Denham, fell from the tenth floor of a building, struck the pavement on his head and lived 29 hours. We recommend this remarkable case to hydrochemists and neurochemists who live in constant fear that extraordinary cases must be exercised to keep them alive.

Few of us are wanted on the other side of the grave as much as we fondly imagine.

NO?
Ford, manufacturing close to two million machines a year, exported only 36,087 passenger cars and trucks in the first six months of 1923.

Nevertheless, Ford seems to be quite prosperous.

It makes us wonder if, after all, foreign trade—despite its great importance—is quite as vital as we sometimes think. If all other countries disappeared, the United States shortly would be running its business along as usual.

FAILED
In July, 1406 business firms failed, totaling the whole country. Their liabilities exceeded their assets by about 19 million dollars. Or, in other words, their creditors apparently will lose 19 millions after the dear old partnership books are wound up.

In July, 1913, a normal year, there were 1065 failures. Liabilities exceeded assets by 16 million dollars. Prices were lower and a dollar represented twice as much materials and actual business in 1913 as it does today.

So, in the matter of commercial mortalities, general business is functioning about normally.

TOM SIMS SAYS
"Without work man degenerates," thinks Yale Review writer. With work, in August, a man evaporates.

"My ambition is to beat Tilden," says a tennis player in Sport. Ours is to whip a collector.

"Kentuckian's never uncouth," writes Burman in the Nation. But often, we add, uncouth.

"Oldies are conservative," says a Bookman writer, who maybe never hit his finger with a hammer.

"Many think authors a superior class," thinks an Atlantic one. Some think some are second class.

"Books are like friends," says Book. That writer, who maybe never hit his finger with a hammer.

"Books are like death," says Sullivan in Metal Worker's Journal. And, we add, so are taxis.

"China has no commercial crookedness," says Harper's writer. As you know, she isn't modern.

Collier's says director of our budget chews gum as he works. But that isn't where our money goes.

Menehen says something about baseball in the nation. We didn't stop to read what it was.

"Predestination is China's trouble," writes Ching Ying Fang. That, and their Chinese names.

"Average politician is a comedian," says Daves. It won't make any one laugh. All are above the average.

After vacations come the bray of genuine sales.

An echo in hand is worth two in the bush.

Common or garden variety of things are growing popular.

A MAN OF WAR

Allan Benson is a noted American socialist and writer. He isn't a foreign importation. His people came over in the Mayflower or in one of the many Mayflowers. Benson enjoys the friendship of Henry Ford. He visited Henry Ford not many months ago. He found a wonderful change in the mental makeup of the billionaire manufacturer. From a mild pacifist the man of millions had become a man of action and military preparedness.

Mr. Benson says that Mr. Ford says there is to be another world war and that the United States will have to step in and knock the combatants off the earth. Mr. Ford volunteered another interesting bit of information. He insisted that a navy that would sweep the seas built by Americans for America would preserve the peace of the world and compel all foreign militarists to behave themselves.

The English of this is that Mr. Ford is for world peace if it is necessary to fight for world peace. He is moving along at an amazing gait. George Washington was for peace and preparedness and he believed that preparedness would compel the foreign nations of the earth to keep the peace. Another Washington letter has been exhumed from the tomb of time. This is an excerpt:

"One thing we are sure of and that is that the only way to obtain peace is to be prepared for war—policy, interest, economy all unite to stimulate the state to fill the continental battalions and provide the means of supporting them."

Theodore Roosevelt walked in the footsteps of George Washington. He was an advocate and champion of preparedness from early manhood until death closed the remarkable career of perhaps the most remarkable man the great republic of the west had ever known.

Now if Mr. Allan Benson is telling the truth, Mr. Henry Ford is walking in the footsteps of Theodore Roosevelt and George Washington. He believes that a mighty navy that would sweep the Seven Seas would prevent slipping the leashes from the little dogs of war the wide world over.

Mr. Henry Ford is a very silent man. He permits others to do his talking. He hires others to do his writing but he runs his own vast business interests. Last week he ordered the electrification of the Detroit, Toledo and Ironton railway. He ordered new electric locomotives built in the Ford work shops for his railway. Their maximum speed will be forty-five miles an hour.

He is going to conserve coal. Is he a successful railway operator? Recent reports of net earnings made by the Interstate Commerce Commission indicate for 1923 that the road should earn more than was paid for it by the billionaire flierman.

He works his men eight hours a day. His minimum wage to his rail employees is six dollars per day. Everything he touches turns to gold. It isn't luck, chance or accident. It is the Henry Ford system. Would it be possible for him to apply the system to the management of governmental affairs? Would it be possible for him to conduct the business of the government as he conducts his own business?

If it would it is a betting proposition that after two terms of Henry Ford in the White House the world war debt would be a memory. But Henry Ford is not a candidate for the presidency. Henry Ford is not a politician. Henry Ford is a business man.

He has decided on something new in his business. He has given instructions to one of his young men to invest five million dollars in an advertising campaign in the near future. All to be placed with American newspapers, to tell the plain people of America how government should be run and how business principles should be substituted for political methods in the affairs of nation and state.

Most extraordinary person, this Michigan billionaire. He would cut out all the soft jobs. He would abolish all the sinecures. He would pay as you go. He would cut out all overhead. He would pay large salaries to those able to earn large salaries. He would discard all the incompetents. He would make running the government a business proposition.

This is one of the reasons why the practical politicians of America realize that it would be almost impossible for Henry Ford to win a presidential nomination at the hands of the leaders of either one of the great political parties.

This man is a menace and a menace should be first frowned upon and if he doesn't desist, he should be beaten to death by the political clubmen.

A GREAT DAY FOR LABOR

American labor, skilled labor, is taking down more money today in the shape of wages than ever before in the history of the world. American labor is getting more for its earned dollar, according to the economists, than at any time in American history.

All agree that this does not apply to the American farmer. He is getting less for his product than he did in war time and is paying war prices for all that he buys. Speaking of labor Samuel Gompers isn't satisfied with the reforms instituted by Elbert H. Gary. Mr. Gompers asserts that Mr. Gary should have granted all the steel workers a work day of eight hours instead of some of the workers eight hours and some ten hours.

Mr. Gompers and Mr. Gary are never in accord. Mr. Gompers speaks for the men who have labor to sell. Mr. Gary speaks for the men who buy muscle and brawn. It is an age old issue. The fight has been on for thousands of years.

Mr. Gompers says the change is already instituted in Gary mills calls for employment of sixty-five thousand more workers and have added forty-five million dollars annually to the payroll. Workers who received forty cents an hour and getting fifty cents while the daily pay has been reduced from \$1.80 for twelve hours to \$1 for eight hours.

All the independent steel companies are ready to shift to the eight hour day for present twelve hour workers who are to receive ten hours pay. There has been a revolution in the minds of the magnets of the American house of steel. There was a time when they worked their men fourteen hours a day. Finally public opinion compelled them to grant a twelve hour day.

Then came the scarcity of labor. Then came the insistence of a great American president, now in his grave, for an eight hour day. Skilled labor is employed everywhere in America and unskilled labor isn't begging for a job unless it is the unskilled white collar brigade, or atoms of the brigade.

If the American farmer could be made as prosperous as the skilled workers are the conservative forces of society would not dread the outcome of a presidential election next year.

According to textile trade papers of New England the death of President Harding has effected the New England textile industry to an even less degree than other business life of the nation for the reason that the industry has the utmost confidence in President Coolidge to measure up to his task. Cotton is a splendid proposition and cotton goods are advancing in price all the time. There will be no surplus this year and there will be no carry over next year.



LETTER FROM JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT TO SYDNEY CARTON

DEAR SYD:

I only had a moment to catch the train after receiving Leslie's telegram that her parents had been called back to Pittsburgh, and had left her alone. I knew that you had three or four days longer in New York, and as I couldn't not possibly stay that long, decided to make a run for it, as you may have surmised when you received my note left at the hotel for you.

I wonder if you can conceive just what I did the first thing when I arrived home? Of course it was after I had kissed my wife and talked with her a little. Syd, she is the sweetest woman on earth.

Then she insisted that I should go into the room across the hall which has been turned into a nursery for Junior, and bring the baby to her. My knees fairly trembled as I tried to open the door. I had never thought for a moment of any such disclosure as you made to me.

When I looked into the cradle and the baby opened his eyes, instantly I saw that writhing of his nose as he drew up the corner of his mouth and I was almost sure your deductions were correct.

And the queer part of it, Syd, is this: I do not know whether I want to believe it or not. I do not know whether I am deceived or not. You said, of course, that Paula told you she intended to keep her baby, but I expect a woman with a child out in Hollywood would be apt to find no place in which she would fit.

I presume that Paula, reading the newspapers in Albany before she left for the coast—I have heard lately, Syd, that she was in Albany for a day or two about the time of Leslie's accident—had some of her impulses to give the baby to Leslie and me.

And yet I am such a coward, Syd, I do not want to make sure that this is true. I would be very easy to do so, you know. All one would have to do would be to find out if she is alone in Hollywood. Then I would know that this child that is in my house is mine, for I know Paula never would give her child to one but me as long as she could possibly provide for it.

I am glad you think that it is right for me not to tell Leslie. Honestly, Syd, I am not keeping this from her for my own sake, but for hers. I do not want to make her unhappy. She is so sweet, so sympathetic and so understanding and I believe she could even imagine and condole a situation that you seem to think confronts me.

Sometimes I think, Syd, that in all this world no man has ever been placed just as I am. I love my wife dearly and I am beginning to love that child. Syd, I like to think it is mine, and I don't think I am being unkind in any way when I let myself love this baby.

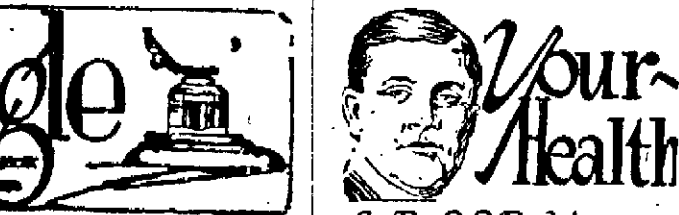
Even if it be true that the child belongs to me, I never think of my mother except as Leslie. Paula Perier has passed out of my life as completely as though she were dead.

Oh, Syd, I'm all mixed up. I don't know what is right, what is expedient or what is the courageous thing to do. I almost wish you hadn't told me anything about it. JACK.

TOMORROW—Mrs. Hamilton to her daughter, Mrs. Leslie Prescott—Happiness returned.

PIN PRICK PROVES FATAL TO DOCTOR
SAVANNAH, Ga., August 21.—A slight prick from a safety pin which he was using to fasten his sleeve cuff proved fatal to Dr. A. S. Rochester, whose funeral took place in San Jose. Dr. Rochester was a native of California and recently opened offices in Savannah.

Boyhood Heroes



Amusements

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

Tuesday
Peoples: "Dearly Beloved," David Powell and others started in "Fog Bound."

Strand: "Pard and Sam," Booth Parkington's famous story.

Peoples: "Masters of Men," starring Cullen Landis, Wanda Hays, and others.

Green Tree: "Tom Mix starred in 'Romance Land'."

Wednesday
Peoples: "Brass," starring Monte Blue, Marie Prevost and others.

Strand: "Dearly Beloved," David Powell and others started in "Fog Bound."

Peoples: "Masters of Men," starring Cullen Landis, Wanda Hays, and others.

Green Tree: "Tom Mix starred in 'Romance Land'."

Thursday
Peoples: "Dearly Beloved," David Powell and others started in "Fog Bound."

Strand: "Pard and Sam," Booth Parkington's famous story.

Peoples: "Masters of Men," starring Cullen Landis, Wanda Hays, and others.

Green Tree: "Tom Mix starred in 'Romance Land'."

Friday
Peoples: "Dearly Beloved," David Powell and others started in "Fog Bound."

Strand: "Pard and Sam," Booth Parkington's famous story.

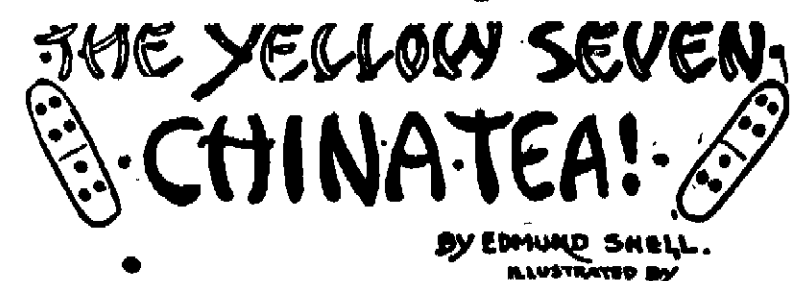
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Green Tree: "Tom Mix starred in 'Romance Land'."

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Peoples: "Dearly Beloved," David Powell and others started in "Fog Bound."

Strand: "Pard and Sam," Booth Parkington's famous story.

Peoples: "Masters of Men," starring Cullen Landis, Wanda Hays, and others.



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BEGIN HERE TODAY

Peter Pennington, detective, is engaged to marry Monica Vinay, sister of Captain John Hewitt, commissioner of police at Jesselton, British North Borneo. Pennington is detailed by the government to run to earth the Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits. Peter is known as "Chinese" Pennington because of his sharp eyes and his ability to disguise himself and mingle with Chinese without any one suspecting his identity. Pennington traces Chai-Hung to his latest hide-out.

NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

"The pack was gradually diminishing. There were only 13 cards left—I counted them as they lay in the yellow light of the lamp. There was a dramatic pause and in the grim silence that followed only one man spoke. It was Lai-Ho—Hyde's old servant—and he spoke so softly that I only caught one single word—my own name. And then a strange thing happened. The arch-bandit, who had lain still and motionless as a corpse, raised himself on one arm. His fingers, emaciated with the fever that consumed him, hovered over the table—then dropped on to a single card. He was too weak to take it and the thing fluttered to the floor, falling face-uppermost not a yard from where I waited."

"The Yellow Seven," Hewitt's lips formed the words.

Pennington inclined his head.

"The lot had fallen upon Chai-Hung himself to take my life. And Chai-Hung lay like a dead thing, awaiting even death with the serenity of his effort, while his intended victim watched unseen."

At the foot of the bamboo ladder the commissioner turned to Pennington.

"I thought you'd like to know that Monica insisted in coming with me on this trip. To tell you the honest truth, I hadn't the heart to refuse her. We're staying at Dawson's bungalow. Why don't you run along and see her?"

A look of pain crept into the other's face.

"I want to see this thing through first."

The other nodded sympathetically.

"When are you going to collate him?"

"Tonight. Come to me here at 9—and come armed."

The commissioner's form was out of sight before Pennington turned on his heel and went back to the bamboo bridge where Hewitt had first found him.

The sun was already at its zenith when Captain John Hewitt—commissioner of police—battered abruptly at a spot where two gnarled palms met—and realized that he had lost his bearings.

It was precisely at that moment that he began to regret that Pennington had not offered to accompany him. Pennington had an uncanny knack of finding his way through territory that was absolutely unknown to him. It was as if he had presented him with the eyes of an Oriental had gifted him also with the mysterious instincts of the primitive savage.

The trace was imperceptibly growing wider and wider at intervals he felt the rays of the sun that poured down on him where the trees were set far apart. He glanced up suddenly then, white to the roots of his hair, dazed behind the trunk of a jack-fruit tree, flattening himself against the bark. He knew now that he had taken the wrong path for straight ahead of him rose a wall of rock, sheer and frowning. At the foot of the rock nestled a broad, squat hut, roofed with dried sagu-leaves. Sitting tranquilly at its base, his fat fingers interlaced over an enormous gourd that even fever had not swayed, he looked on as the commissioner of police approached. He was a Chinese, and he was a Chinese of the old school. He was a Chinese of the old school.

"I am on my way to take tea with your sister, Captain Hewitt," he purred maliciously. "Exercising my customary caution—I am taking my own time."

Quite apart from the imminent risk that threatened her lover, Monica—although she would never have acknowledged it—was desperately curious to know how the duel between Pennington and Chai-Hung would end.

From the moment she had left the little, ramshackle hut to accompany her brother to Dawson's bungalow, she had become haunted with a vague, indefinite fear that she was being followed. She had confided her fears to the commissioner, but Hewitt, seeing in this sudden conviction still another symptom of the nervous trouble he had already noticed, had not expressed surprise.

"You get odd notions in these parts," he told her easily. "It's that same queer restlessness you hear, among the trees that gives rise to hosts of native superstitions."

The explanation had sounded logical enough but, on the afternoon of the day Hewitt had started out to meet Pennington, Monica encountered Chai-Hung himself in a narrow glade not a quarter of a mile from Dawson's house.

Isn't it delightfully cool under the trees," she faltered as pleasantly as she knew how. She was aware of an uncomfortable feeling that Chai-Hung was a dangerous criminal with a price on his head, a celebrity, in fact, that she must deal with tactfully until she could get in touch with one of Dawson's men. "Do you mind letting me pass. I'm in a hurry."

(Continue in Our Next Issue)

NEWLYWEDS PAY THE MARRIAGE 50-50

COLUMBIA, Mo., Aug. 21.—A tourist from the Ozark region brings back this story. It happened in West Plains, in Howell county.

Frederick Christopher, 48 years old, and Mrs. Josephine Crafton, 60 years old, both of Petersburg, Mo., arrived with a marriage license, sought out Probate Judge H. J. Griffin and asked him to perform a marriage ceremony. After the knot had been solemnly tied, the groom turned to the bride and said:

"Now, I paid for the marriage license, you can pay the judge for the ceremony."

The bride hesitated and Judge Griffin thought for a moment she was going to balk. But she didn't. She got out her pocketbook and paid the judge \$2.

THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

RIGHTFUL PLAY WILL BE PRESENTED BY INTERMEDIATE EPWORTH LEAGUE THURSDAY

EUR theatricals continue to interest Port Arthur's nger contingent, and with the presentation of the play, "Married Man," by the Intermediate Epworth League first M. E. church, South, Thursday evening at 8 o'clock, delightful entertainment will be added to the already lengthy list of dramatic presentations by Port Arthur.

Intermediate Leaguers bring this play to the with the confidence that diences will be delighted a play in which are the best elements of both the action and movement. Action is said to be in the hands of the play.

ry is laid in a small college middle west and is pre- three acts, all of which take the interior of Professor pretty little bungalow, al- last year shows the char- years later.

ry tells of a professor who seduces a young woman whose sister is a companion. The home, much to the dis- of the bridegroom. The mother of the bride by friends who relate to him some of the mother's has her daughter. Professor usually thinks they are re- his wife instead of his law. A pretty college girl a dash of college boy and of his growing suspicion, he becomes convinced that means to poison him.

ide, who has married the at her mother's instigation, she really loves Billy, and mother learns that Billy and that he is in love with her, she determines to get rid of him. She ful in this and the curtain the everyone thinking that has proved a failure.

essor marries again after a selects a girl who will nter him with a mother-in- to his horror, the innocent is trapped into marriage woman who was his former law. But Billy, who has a trip around the world has become a husband of the mother-in-law in China, in ridiculous situations all and marriage is pro- a distinct success.

cludes:

- John B. Wise, a poor man—Alma Wallace.
- William Graham, a country—Willie Seallorn.
- Blake, a popular college boy—Sindagety.
- Jackson, a black tramp—Vander.
- Ford, some mother-in—Aline Wane.
- Mr. Oeschger, a charming daughter—Miss May.
- Graham, a little freshman—Lina Campbell.
- Wilson, a college report—Burns.

ered of the play, "A Poor Man," will go toward the sisting fund. The public is invited to attend the enter-

Calendar of Events

TUESDAY

The Young Girls' Sewing club will meet with little Misses Dora and Sarah Haynes at their home, 901 DeQueen boulevard.

The American Legion auxiliary will meet in the Legion club rooms at 2:30 o'clock.

The Pythian Sisters will meet in regular session at the K. of P. hall at 8 o'clock. Initiation and social hour following.

Mrs. Walter Abbey's Sunday school class will entertain with a swimming party at Gates pier.

WEDNESDAY

Mrs. O. G. Westmoreland will hold open house at her home, 101 Lake shore apartment, from 3 to 5:30 o'clock.

The W. B. A. of the Macca-bees will meet in regular session at the W. O. W. hall 2:30 o'clock.

The committee, composed of Mrs. L. E. Martin, chairman; Mrs. R. J. Conley and Mrs. W. E. Clinton, has arranged an unusually entertaining program of musical numbers, readings, and addresses for the evening. Delicious refreshments will be served in the Endeavor room of the church following the program.

The program is filled with surprises, according to Mrs. Martin, who refused to divulge the names of the participants, but who said that talent from several other churches in the city had been secured to take part in the program.

THE SERVICE B. Y. P. U. OF the First Baptist church will entertain with an enjoyable watermelon feast Friday evening at Port Neches, Tex.

The young people and their chap- ones will meet at the church at 7 o'clock and will motor to the park, where the watermelon feast will be enjoyed and games will afford diversion.

All members of the Service B. Y. P. U. and officers of the other unions of the First Baptist church are invited to attend this outing. Each member has the privilege of inviting a guest. All are urged to attend.

THE CITY B. Y. P. U. WILL meet next Monday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the Central Baptist church, at which time a singing and interest- ing program will be rendered under the supervision of Joe Dunlap, president of the City Union.

A banner will be awarded the B. Y. P. U. having the largest attendance of its enrollment. Refreshments will be served by the Central B. Y. P. U. It is hoped that every B. Y. P. U. member in the city will attend this important session.

MR. AND MRS. GEORGE J. THIBODEAUX of 1611 Twelfth street are the proud parents of a little daughter, Claire Janet, born Sunday morning.

MR. AND MRS. W. L. UMBERGER of 2120 Tenth street are rejoicing over the arrival of a little girl in their home on August 15. The little miss, who has been given the name of Laura, tips the scales at seven and one-half pounds.

MRS. C. R. BRADLEY ENTERTAINED very delightfully Monday afternoon at her home, 1120 Fifth street, complimenting her little daughter, Anna Ruth, on her seventh birthday anniversary.

The pink and blue motif selected by the hostess to feature the affair was carried out in the pink and blue streamers which adorned the dining room. The large birthday cake was the center of attraction in the dining room with its embossed surface holding seven tiny candles.

Numerous games and contests were enjoyed during the afternoon, follow-

Imitate the Swan and Avoid Double Chin Says Miss Dolan, Beauty Expert



Two steps in the "Swan Exercise" to beautify your chin and neck.



To beautify your chin and neck.

IMITATE THE SWAN—Two Exercises, written by Anne Dolan, noted New York physical culture expert, to help you retain your youth and beauty.

By ANNE DOLAN

One of the saddest sights a woman ever sees is the advent of her second chin. Nothing warns the world quite so effectively that youth is on the wane.

To be sure, youth does wane, but why tell the world? Let that be your own little secret.

When it comes to the matter of double chins, heavy jaws and fat necks, an ounce of preventative is worth pounds of cure.

A little daily care will keep these destroyers of beauty away, but only the most stern and unflinching industry will get rid of them once they have been allowed to start.

The swan's neck is the standard of beauty, according to poets and sculptors. All right, let's study the swan. He exercises his neck constantly, darting his head in and out and around with marvelous grace.

Now just imagine for a little while that you are a swan. With your shoulders erect, push your head out as far as you can straight ahead of you.

ing which delicious refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Assisting the hostess on this occasion were Mrs. D. W. Briggs and Mrs. W. T. Corley. Many lovely and useful presents were received by the honoree.

Those enjoying the birthday celebration were Bonnie Lou Aycock, Rosemary Corley, Francis Kitchell, Anna Witter, Velma Henry, Frank Coley, Melvin Briggs, Charles Bradley, Jr., Billy Owens, G. O. Henry, Morris Witter and the little honoree.

MISSES ERIN DONNELLY AND Ella Lee Miles of Crowley, La., and Miss Theo Smith of Ridge, La., are visiting Miss Smith's sister, Mrs. J. R. Riser of 2639 Tenth street.

MRS. H. B. HOFFPAUGH HAS as her guest her brother, Nathan Martel of Eunice, La.

MR. AND MRS. J. C. TANNER of 1648 Tenth street leave today for a three month tour of points in Texas, Hot Springs and other Arkansas points.

MRS. H. W. REESE OF JOA- quin and nephew, Carlson Hamilton, of Marshall are visiting at the home of Mrs. W. P. Hooper, 315 Richmond avenue.

THE YOUNG LADIES MISSION- ary society of the First M. E. church, south, held an interesting session yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. W. Barron, 618 Lake Charles avenue.

After an opening service by Miss Daisy Edwards and Mrs. Barron, several instructive talks on missions and missionaries were given by various

The Froebie Kindergarten and Primary class conducted by Mrs. E. R. Clements will open for third year on September 10 in Presbyterian Annex. (Information, call 2234 after 7 p. m.—adv.)

FORM ANTI-KLAN ORDER IN OHIO

Steubenville Officials Put Ban On Parades

STEUBENVILLE, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Possibility of further strife between Ku Klux Klan and anti-klan factions was seen here today with the formation of the Knights of the Flaming Circle.

Although those supporting the new society will not talk regarding the purpose of the day, it is pointed out that men known to be opposed to the invisible empire are behind it.

Both city and county officials today, under specific orders from Governor Vile Donahue are taking every precaution against recurrence of fighting as an outgrowth of last week's rioting when 50 persons were severely beaten in a fight between klan and anti-klan forces.

Mayor Frank Hawkins has announced that the city council tomorrow night will be asked to pass an ordinance prohibiting all parades and public meetings until feeling between the factions has subsided.

There were no outbreaks over the week end and authorities today said they believed the situation was well in hand.

NUMEROUS COUNTIES ASK HIGHWAY AID

ATSPIN, Aug. 21.—Numerous delegations from various counties in the state were here today seeking state and federal aid before the state highway commission. Delegations were present from the following counties: Dallas, Tarrant, Walker, Gaudalupe, Harrison, Anderson, Fayette and Bexar.

Some men will shine. One made \$800 shining shoes in Sing Sing.

their children a thorough foundation in music to attend and inspect the material used in teaching this improved method of music study for children.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF the First Baptist church will meet in all day session Thursday at the church, with the morning session beginning at 10:30 o'clock.

The election of officers for the ensuing term will feature the business session. A picnic luncheon will be served at noon.

All members of the Woman's auxiliary are urged to be present Thursday.

MR. AND MRS. C. J. ODOM AND children, Jewell and Ethel Gray, and Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Branson left Saturday morning for an overland trip to various points in Mississippi.

They will be accompanied home by Mrs. W. T. Odom and Miss Minnie Lee Odom, who have been spending several weeks in Mississippi.

MRS. K. A. YOUNG AND MRS. C. A. Pearson left this morning for a brief visit in Houston.

HER NAME IS MIRTH



Coeur d'Alene, Idaho, now offers tourists the thrill of surfboat riding. Miss Mirth McArthur, 15, University of Idaho girl, likes to go surfing with tourists, providing they are good swimmers like the one with whom she is doing water-aerobats in the photo.

KILLS HIS WIFE IN 'FOUR-BIT' FIGHT

BRIDGEPORT, Conn., Aug. 17.—Steven Pellath, 72 years old, was held today without bail, charged with murder, after slaying his wife, Clara, 76 years old, with an ax. Pellath calmly told the police he struck his wife when she refused to give him 50 cents for a shave.

Let our factory-trained man adjust your sewing machine. Phoenix Fur-niture Co.—adv.

Texas Fatally Shot By Mother of Girl On Whom He Called

NACOGDOCHES, Texas, Aug. 21. Alfred Cole, 19, was brought here today from Rockland, Tyler county, and placed in the hospital suffering from gun shot wounds which physicians say will probably be fatal. His attention to a girl was objected to by her mother, and when he called at the girl's home and stopped at the fence, the mother fired at him, according to the story told the police.

The alleged assailant is being held awaiting the outcome of the boy's injuries.

CHURCH IS ERECTED FOR SILENT WORSHIP

CHICAGO, August 21.—The silent church congregation, composed of many of the 2000 deaf mutes of the city, will have a permanent church home when the new City Temple is dedicated, the Rev. Philip J. Heenan, stah, pastor, announced.

The members of the deaf mission have been without a place of meeting of their own since the old First church on the site of the new edifice, was pulled down.

Pay Day Specials

Cups and Saucers, Plain White, Imported China, 79c Set

6 cups and 6 saucers to set. Limit one set to customer.

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Pure Aluminum Tea Kettle

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ry shoe in our store, regard- of former prices are re- 40% .. 50%

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The contestant either in Port Arthur or Beaumont who sells the most tickets to the Port Arthur Shrine Club Circus, will be given

A FREE TRIP TO CALIFORNIA

Including Los Angeles, and San Francisco, returning via Sacramento, Salt Lake City, Denver, Colorado Springs, Pike's Peak, Manitou and Garden of the Gods.

Second Prize

A free trip to Denver and Colorado Springs with liberal stopover privileges.

Third Prize

A beautiful lady's wrist watch. For further information apply to Shrine Club headquarters, Deuter Bldg., Port Arthur.

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Rich!

Drawn Butter Sauce—Put two-thirds of a pint of water in a sauce-pan and set it on the fire to boil, make a paste of three teaspoonsful of flour with a little water. When the water in the sauce-pan boils add the flour, stirring well. Let it boil a few minutes then add a heaping teaspoonful of Morning Glory Butters.

Indeed it is rich! And the housewife who wants to get the best results uses only fresh ingredients. In the case of butter, that means Morning Glory. It gives genuine, rich butter flavor to cookery that no other ingredient can give.

One pound of Butter is equal in food energy to 34 pounds of tomatoes, 40 pounds of lettuce or 31 pounds of asparagus.

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This excellent electric cleaner, with a record of 13 years leadership to recommend it, and with improved features possessed by no other cleaner, is priced \$15.00 to \$25.00 lower than most good makes now on the market. Come in and let us show you the BEE-VAC refinements. See the new brush arrangement—the new "ball and socket" useful grip. You'll never be satisfied with any other than a BEE-VAC after just one demonstration.

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State Tank Tournament Here Attracting Much Attention

Many Inquire About Invitation Meet to Be Held September 6th

Famous Australian Tank Artist May Appear On Bill With Local Instructor; Port City Team Already Chosen to Enter Tourney.

By BILL ARCHER

CONSIDERABLY more interest than is usually manifested in such events is being found in the coming state swimming tournament which will be held at the Plaza Nat. according to word coming in to Harry L. Coughlin, instructor.

The Nat's management, in fact, the instructor announces, is finding it a busy game to keep in touch with all the inquiries and answer the queries which are pouring into the local swimming headquarters regarding the meet, the various events, qualifications, medals, etc.

Medals for the events, which will be of gold and bronze, have already been ordered by the local natatorium, sponsors of the tourney and are reported on their way to Port Arthur. The gold medals will be awarded persons finishing first in the principal events, while the second and third position winners will be awarded bronze medals. It is understood. The gold medals are attractive tank trophies, bearing the insignia of a swimmer, and being appropriately fitted for such events.

Preparations are now under way, according to word passed out several days ago, for the appearance of Professor Cavill, famous Australian swimmer, whom Harry Coughlin has challenged to a meet in the local tank as a main attraction of the tournament. Should the Australian swimmer be brought here his appearance against the local expert will probably attract the largest crowd on record for the Plaza tank.

Coughlin will have direct charge of all water events to be undertaken, and will conduct the state meet under the rules governing similar meets held by the National A. A. C. Only amateur swimmers will be eligible for the events of the meet, professionals, and paid representatives of visiting swimming organizations, tanks, natatoriums, etc., being barred from participation.

The indications at the present time are that when the final day, Sept. 6, rolls around, Port Arthur will find itself hostess to a crowd of amateurs well known over the state. Locally arrangements have already been made to enter a Port Arthur swimming team, which will take part in every event of the program with the intention of winning. This team, which will represent the Plaza Nat., has been well chosen by Instructor Coughlin, and the positions which the local entrants will try for are best suited to their style of swimming.

It is understood that other cities, as far distant as Fort Worth and El Paso will probably send swimmers or swimming teams here to enter the events, and the entire affair savors of one of the most pretentious occasions of its kind ever held anywhere in the South.

The tournament will be the first ever held in Texas, and will decide the state champions in the various events of the meet for a period of one year.

REDS TAKE PAIR

PHILADELPHIA, Aug. 21.—(Continued) took two games from Philadelphia, winning the first, 6 to 3, and the second, 8 to 2. Cy Williams hit his 50th home run of the season in the third inning of the second game, scoring Hend ahead of him.

First Game R. H. E. Cincinnati ... 101 000 000—6 12 1 Philadelphia ... 300 000 000—3 9 1 Batteries—Lange and Wingo; Couch, Hend, Wingo and Wilson.

Second Game R. H. E. Cincinnati ... 220 010 300—8 11 2 Philadelphia ... 003 000 000—3 11 1 Batteries—Benton and Hargrave; Betts, Weinert and Hendline.

DALLAS WINS, 10-8

DALLAS, Aug. 21.—Dallas won a hectic game from Wichita Falls 10 to 8. The locals took an early lead, scoring five runs in the first three innings. Wichita Falls forced ahead in the sixth, but the locals rallied, driving Dyer from the mound. Chalmers Williams, East Texas league recruit featured with four hits, out of six chances. Kunz hit the first ball pitched in the ninth for a home run over the right field fence.

Score by innings—R. H. E. Wichita Falls 030 000 211—8 11 2 Dallas ... 221 000 112—10 16 1 Batteries—Dyer, Kunz and Bischoff; Ryan, Love, Mitchell and Adams.

BOSTON WINS, 6 AND 2

DETROIT, Aug. 21.—Opportunity hitting on the part of Boston enabled them to defeat Detroit 6 to 2. **Score by innings**—R. H. E. Boston ... 001 000 221—6 11 0 Detroit ... 000 011 000—2 4 1 Batteries—Piercy and Pielnich; Pilette, Holloway, Cole and Bassler.

Concussion Slaying—NEWMAN, Ga., Aug. 21.—John W. Minter, father-in-law of Millard Trouton, who was killed and killed on the night of Aug. 10, confessed to the slaying, officials announced last night.

NEW STAR IS OUT AMONG WELTERS

Jimmy Jones May Be Next Champ

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—A new star has burst forth on the pugilistic firmament.

Enter Jimmy Jones of Youngstown, Ohio, at the expense of Dave Shade of California.

Jimmy Jones is a welterweight, a real one, able to make the stipulated weight of 112. Right now he looms up as the logical contender for the welterweight title, which has been carefully preserved in cupholder hands ever since Mickey Walker won it from Jack Britton.

Fistic fame has been thrust upon Jones almost overnight. His decisive defeat of Dave Shade in this city of culture and manly art ranks as one of the biggest upsets of the year.

Dave Shade, the fighter whom Champ Walker studiously avoided, until the New York boxing commission became so proud that it forfeited the welter title to Shade, so far as New York state is concerned, was used by Jones as a stepping stone to fame.

While Jones did not win by the so-called city block, his margin at the finish was so apparent that there wasn't a dissenting voice in the immense crowd that packed the Arena Athletic club.

When you consider that Shade, a popular favorite in Boston and picked to win at odds of 2 to 1, was handed the wrong end of the decision without a murmur from a single fan, it is evident that Jones clearly won the battle.

Over a year ago Jones met Shade at Canton, Ohio. At that time Shade was a national figure in the fight game because of his showing against Jack Britton. Jones was comparatively unknown outside of Ohio.

Puzzling Plays

THE PLAY—How does the umpire judge a fair fly ball or a foul fly ball? Does he consider the position of the fielder, or does he judge the ball according to the relative position of the ball and the foul line? For instance, on these two plays what would have been the proper ruling?

The batsman hits a fly ball to left field, which the fielder was just able to reach after a great effort. When the ball struck his hands, both feet were on fair territory, but his hands were extending over the line into foul territory. Was the ball fair or foul?

On the other play a ball is hit to right field, and a high wind makes holding of a fly ball difficult. The fielder struggles under the fly, when it finally touches his hands, his feet and body are in foul territory, but his hands are extending over the foul line into fair territory. Is the ball fair or foul?

THE INTERPRETATION—In the first play the ball was foul. In the second it was fair. The umpire, in judging a fair or foul fly ball, pays no attention to the player, but judges the play in accordance to the relative position of the ball and the foul line.

THREE IN A ROW

ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21.—Taking a lead in the second inning that the locals could not overcome, Washington made it three straight from St. Louis by winning 7 to 2. In the fourth inning, Manager Austin was banished by Umpire Evans for objecting to ball and strike decisions, and in the next inning Mr. Evans ordered all the team, except the playing regulars and three substitutes, out of the dugout for "booming" because of the action taken against Austin.

Score by innings—R. H. E. Washington ... 020 000 000—7 11 1 St. Louis ... 020 000 000—2 5 0 Batteries—Mitchell and Reid; Danforth, Kelp and Seaver.

EXTRA BASE HITS WIN

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Extra base hits of Tomme, Le Nyon, Southworth, and Melroy were deciding factors in Boston's 5 to 2 victory over St. Louis.

Score by innings—R. H. E. St. Louis ... 000 110 000—2 7 2 Boston ... 200 020 105—5 10 0 Batteries—Tomme, Barlow and Almsmith; Manquard and O'Neil.

Trone Castle, the dancer, returned from Europe with a pet goat, which was not her husband.

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BROOKLYN LOSES, 10-4

BROOKLYN, Aug. 21.—Chicago defeated Brooklyn 10 to 4. Pitcher Stuland, farmed out to Wichita Falls in the Texas league, rejoined the Cubs today.

Score by innings—R. H. E. Chicago ... 000 030 023—10 12 0 Brooklyn ... 000 001 030—4 11 7 Batteries—Kaufmann and O'Farrell; R. Grimes and Taylor.

YESTERDAY'S HOMERS—C. Williams, Phils., 1 ... 20 Ward, Yanks, 1 ... 8 Burns, Red Sox, 1 ... 7

SPORT CARD

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

Texas League.

Club Won Lost Pct. Port Worth ... 77 48 .616 Dallas ... 66 59 .525 Wichita Falls ... 66 57 .537 San Antonio ... 66 59 .525 Houston ... 59 62 .456 Beaumont ... 57 67 .460 Shreveport ... 42 82 .338

American League.

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YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

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American League. At Detroit 2, Boston 6. At Chicago 5, New York 16. At St. Louis 2, Washington 7. No others scheduled.

National League. At Philadelphia 2, Cincinnati 6-5. At New York 1, Pittsburgh 2. At Brooklyn 4, Chicago 10. At Boston 5, St. Louis 2.

Southern Association. At New Orleans 6-2, Mobile 2-3. At Birmingham 6, Atlanta 0. At Little Rock 3, Chattanooga 2. At Memphis 1, Nashville 2.

American Association. At Kansas City 1, Minneapolis 6. At St. Paul 1, Columbus 6. Only two scheduled.

Western League. At Denver 2, Omaha 4. At Sioux City 4, Des Moines 4. At Oklahoma City 1, Tulsa 17.

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BEAUMONT COPS GAME IN NINTH

Stubby Mack Features Play With Hurling

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 21.—The Exporters came from behind here yesterday, rallied in the ninth and capped a hot game from Galveston, 4 and 2.

Karl Elshard was asked for 15 pitches that the visiting club needed to the four corners of the lot, while Stubby Mack was hurling airtight baseball for the Grabs.

The score: **AB R H PO A F** Galveston ... 29 15 21 16 1 1 Elshard ... 11 10 10 10 10 10

Totals ... 29 15 21 16 1 1

YANKS COP GAME

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—In a wild game in which the Yankees whiffed their bats freely, the White Sox were defeated 16 to 5.

Score by innings—R. H. E. New York ... 111 202 202—16 16 0 Chicago ... 000 001 003—5 11 3

Batteries—Penning and Schanz; Faber, Gillenwater, Caster and Schalk, Graham.

Joe Garrett, local pugilist, going down to Lake Charles tonight to witness a bout and challenge the winner. Joe is in the pink of condition, and ought to trim most anything they produce in the Lake Charles arena.

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The Crabs were getting wicked. And fasting Elshard. But the Beaumont boys got reckless. And turned the tables, pard.

Paseball today.

Pitcher Stuland has left the Spudlers and returned to the Cubs.

They're talking football of every corner of the city now. Atta boy!

Instructor Harry Coughlin giving swimming lessons at the Plaza Nat every afternoon from 3 to 4.

How about getting lined up for that state swimming meet the Plaza Nat is holding in September, fans?

The recent argument over Dolly Gray may have been justified but Dolly isn't living up to expectations of late.

The big fighters may be from the east, but Texas claims the most important promoter in the world, Nambu, and to wit, Mr. Tex Rickard.

J. M. Pickett, manager of the Good Gulf basketball club, will be minus several of last year's squad when he opens training this season—but J. M. is predicting a good fast five.

The "poor" fifty-kats from Fort Worth are now only seven and a half games ahead of their nearest competitors in the Texas league—the outwitted Dallas Stars.

Dick Williams and Watson Washburn, the doubles combination of a couple of years ago, have a lot of politics pushing them forward as the best candidates.

The Kinsey brothers, for a while were considered as one of the best doubles prospects but they were soon let down yesterday in the first round of the doubles championship and perhaps they are doomed for that.

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NAME TENNIS PLAYERS TODAY

Richards May Not Be on the Days Team

By HENRY L. FARRELL

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—America's team that will defend the Davis cup against the Australian challengers will be named today by the nominating committee of the United States Lawn Tennis association.

Bill Tilden and Bill Johnston are sure to be members of the team and to them will be delegated the job of handling the four singles matches of the challenge round. Tilden does not stand very high with the association because he has been guilty of less majestic several times but he simply could not be kept off the team.

Quite a lot of politics has been involved in the selection of the team, two members of the team, the idea being to get one man who could play doubles well with either Tilden or Johnston or two men who would comprise a good double combination themselves.

From reliable sources it is learned that Vincent Richards, although he is the third ranking player in the United States, will not be named on the team simply because he did not play doubles with Tilden this year.

Griffith was named to work with him in the doubles. Last year the association would not permit Johnston to play in anything but the singles fearing that he was not strong enough to stand the strain of three heavy matches.

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BIG PLANS FOR G.A.R. MEETING

Milwaukee to Give Welcome To Vets

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 18.—Milwaukee residents will be able to show how far their hospitality runs during the annual encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, which will be held here Sept. 2 to 7.

In order to take care of the large number of veterans and their families in attendance at the convention, the committee on automobiles has sent out a call for 5,000 automobiles to be used at all times during the meeting.

As the result of this call, which was sent out weeks in advance of the opening of the convention, several hundred machines have already been offered. The Milwaukee street railway company has offered free transportation to all veterans wearing uniforms and all those wearing convention badges.

Wind-shield stickers bearing the sign "Hop in, G. A. R." will be distributed to all motorists who offer the machines for use during the week.

MILWAUKEE, Wis., Aug. 18.—The spirit of '95 will hover over Milwaukee, as more than 15,000 gray-haired veterans, many with canes, march in the Fifty-eighth annual review here during the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic, Sept. 2 to 7.

Thousands of these old "Boys of Blue," their trembling bodies held erect in pride, then adorned eyes flashing the fire that carried them through the trying days of the war of Secession, will follow "Old Glory" through the streets of Milwaukee to the martial strains of "Marching Through Georgia." As they march through the streets, the public will see for the first time many of these old soldiers, for many of them will answer the call of the Great bugle before the next annual convention.

It will be an awe-inspiring sight—the march of these veterans. Practically every man in this long line, who marched away to fight for the Union cause in 1861, will be over 75 years of age. Yet the spirit of those Civil war days and the pride of having worn the uniform of blue and having answered the call of Abraham Lincoln will carry them through the convention parade.

But no changes will be taken by the committee in charge here. A first aid station will be established at every corner along the line of march. Every ambulance in the city with the exception of the police ambulances, which will be used for emergencies, will follow the line of march. More than 2000 boy scouts, especially trained in first aid, will escort the marchers. Every precaution will be taken to see that the veterans do not overexert themselves.

Expert 5,000 Guests.

According to James H. Williams, secretary, more than 25,000 persons are expected to be present at the convention.

Kindred organizations meeting with the G. A. R. are: Ladies of the G. A. R., The Women's Relief Corps, The National Association of Army Nurses of the Civil War, The National Association of Union Prisoners of War, The National Association of Naval Veterans, The Sons of Veterans, Daughters of the Veterans and the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary.

Despite the fact that the city will be flooded with visitors, adequate arrangements have been made for housing the thousands who will be in attendance at the convention. Milwaukee citizens in large numbers have notified the committee in charge of arrangements that they will throw open their homes to the delegates and their families.

Milwaukee officials, as well as the Milwaukee Association of Commerce and other civic and patriotic organizations, are cooperating with the convention committee.

Convention headquarters will be established at the Republic hotel while the convention proper will be held at the Milwaukee auditorium. Commander in chief James W. Willet, Tama, Iowa, will preside.

PEBBLES SWALLOWED CAUSE FATAL ATTACK

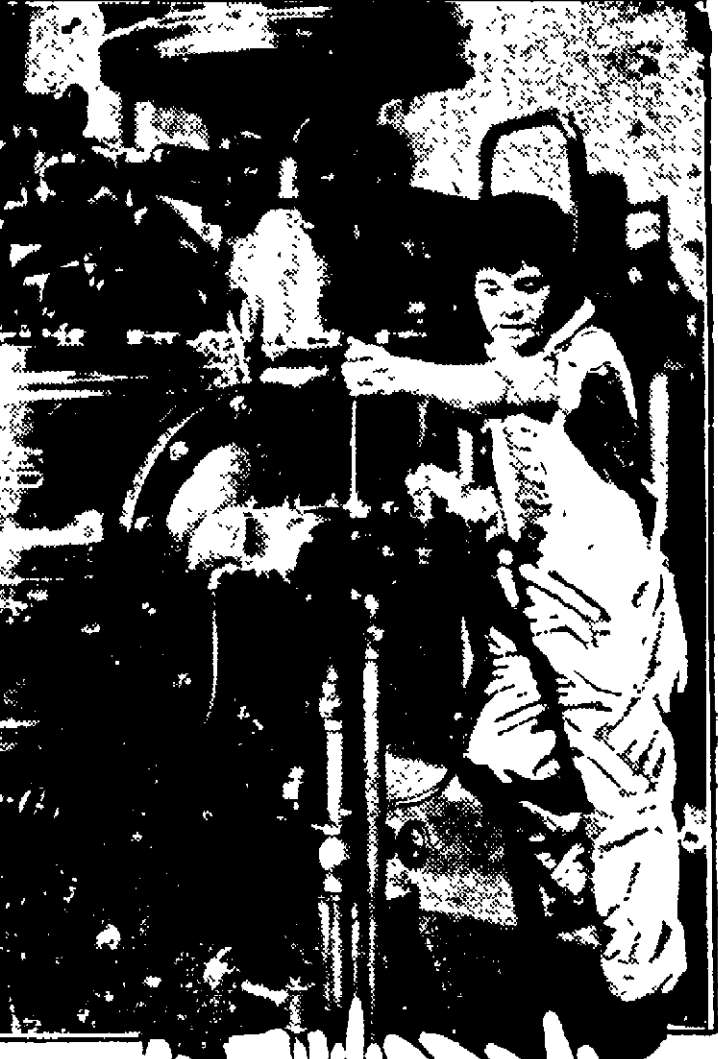
MORRISTOWN, Pa., Aug. 21.—Fondness for swallowing pebbles cost the life of Charles F. Cash, Jr., 5 years old. The child had been ill only a few days, and his condition became worse and he expired before a physician could be summoned.

On two or three previous occasions the child was taken seriously ill and for a time the cause of the attack was a mystery. Finally, when the nature of the trouble was learned, a quart of pebbles was removed from his body by a local physician.

Beaten and Robbed

DALLAS, Texas, Aug. 21.—R. R. Ransom was prowling to-day from an attack by robbers. In a park here Saturday night, Ransom was knocked unconscious and robbed of several dollars. He was found by passersby in a flower garden where his assailants evidently had thrown him.

ENGINEERING IS GIRL'S JOB, TOO



Miss Clare Nicolet at work.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 21.—It's a lot more fun to run a typewriter at work, she says, and operate machinery than it is to clerk or teach school.

So ingenious Miss Clare Nicolet, 22-year-old mechanical engineer in the big power plant of the Kansas City Power & Light company.

Miss Nicolet without losing any of her feminine charm when off duty was as stern and efficient a mechanical engineer during working hours as any man.

It's a Chink.

Working only 25 pounds, not as tall as the average, she finds it necessary to use a step-ladder more than men. Otherwise, she is on an equal plane with them, she believes.

"The men in the power plant treat me with respect," she explains. "At first they were inclined to doubt my ability, but after I had shown that I knew machinery, they put me on a level with themselves."

ACTRESS WIVES PUT ON GRILL

Deny Receiving Cash in Brokerage Firm

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Louis Groody McGee and Florence P. Diller, actresses wives of Frank M. Gee and Edward M. Diller, partners in an erstwhile brokerage house at 11 E. M. Fuller & Co. today denied ever receiving any money from F. M. Diller & Co.

Miss Groody said she turned \$50,000 to the firm shortly before the firm went into liquidation in an effort to prevent the crash. She did not receive the money.

Stories of Broadway life parties were denied vigorously by both women who also denied they had received any money from the firm.

Both the actresses said they had led simple lives and were not fully to make ends meet since their husbands' failure.

Asked about reports that a large sum of money was concealed when the firm failed, Mrs. McGee said:

"That's absurd. I married McGee five months before the failure and he was not in a position to give me any money at all. I have proved nothing."

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CITY IS SUED BY J. H. JENSEN

False Imprisonment Is the Charge

Alleging false imprisonment and asking damages aggregating \$4,000 on two counts, five city officials Tuesday were made defendants in a suit filed jointly by John H. Jensen and his son Arthur through their attorneys, Rose and Johnson.

The two suits are for \$2,500 each, the first making defendants of former Assistant Chief of Police W. E. Bailey and Chief Covington and the second directed against Chief Covington, Mayor Logan and Commissioners Wade and Wiley.

The suits, it is asserted, grew out of the arrest and imprisonment of Arthur Jensen by police on charges of investigation, the arrest being made on Aug. 13. In the suits it is alleged that Arthur Jensen was illegally and wilfully placed under arrest without a warrant and without the young man having committed any crime.

It is further alleged that Arthur Jensen was humiliated by being taken through the street crowds by police and by having his name placed on the blottor under charges of "investigation."

The second suit directed against the commissioners and police chief alleges that the defendants made it possible for Bailey to act in the arrest through their appointing him illegally in as much as he had not resided in the city for 12 months preceding his appointment.

Girl Likes to Hurt Mother by Her Yells

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—Hattie Lavin, 15, who lives with her mother, pum-pum-pum to stop screaming, although her shrill cries have been the talk of the neighborhood for some time past.

Residents in the district thought Hattie was being murdered. They sent for the police.

Hattie told Mrs. Lulu Ditter, policeman, that she just screamed because she liked to hear herself.

"Does anyone love you?" asked Mrs. Ditter.

"No," replied Hattie. "I just scream for fun. My mamma says it's a fit and she gets very nervous when I scream—ain't it funny that she should get nervous?"

WOOD SHADES

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City's Heart Is at Police Sergeant's Desk in Big City

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The voice of the city which Charles Wall, Boston, had found cold and unearring, failed to explain to him the meaning of Potter's field, which was destined to receive his body.

Wall, with his wife and two children, John, 2, and James, 3 months, arrived here a month ago. In the weeks it took him to find work his few dollars dwindled to nothing. James, who had become ill, died.

The police lieutenant to whom Wall appealed told him the medical examiner would provide a death certificate and the body could be buried in Potter's field.

The last words puzzled Wall, "Potter's field," he repeated, "what's that?"

The lieutenant started to explain then reached in his pockets and found \$11. He put \$10 on the desk, called "the boys" and explained. The \$10 was rapidly to \$36. Three neighborhood undertakers were called. The body will be buried free, and the \$36 will aid Wall in paying immediate expenses.

SPECIAL RATE GIVEN FOR LUBBOCK CARNIVAL

LUBBOCK, Texas, Aug. 21.—A special rate of fare and one-half has been granted by the Santa Fe railway and all connecting lines for the Technological college celebration here Aug. 28, it was announced here today.

AUTO BANDITS IN HOUSTON

Three Unmasked Men Get Loot of \$1500

HOUSTON, Aug. 21.—Three unmasked men in an automobile today held up and robbed F. J. Leggett, employee of the Houston Ice Cream company of Sunday's receipts amounting to \$1500.

The robbery occurred on the edge of the business section of the city.

The men drove along beside Leggett's car and brandishing revolvers ordered him to stop. When he complied they seized the bag containing the money and sped away.

MODEL SEXTON HELD ON BOOTLEG CHARGE

AMARILLO, Texas, Aug. 21.—A fully equipped whisky still was found in the basement of the First Baptist church here today. Oliver Riser, janitor, who has been in the employ of the church for a number of years, and who was considered thoroughly trustworthy by the board of deacons, was arrested.

The basement of the building was rarely ever visited by any one except the janitor.

Officials of the church and its members have begun an investigation.

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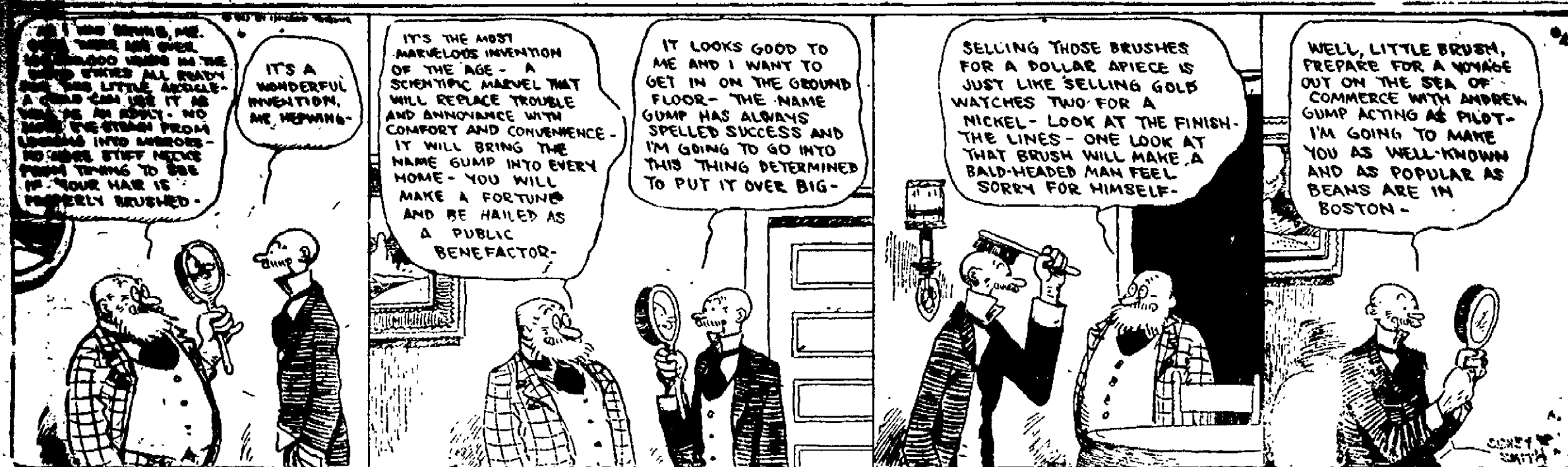
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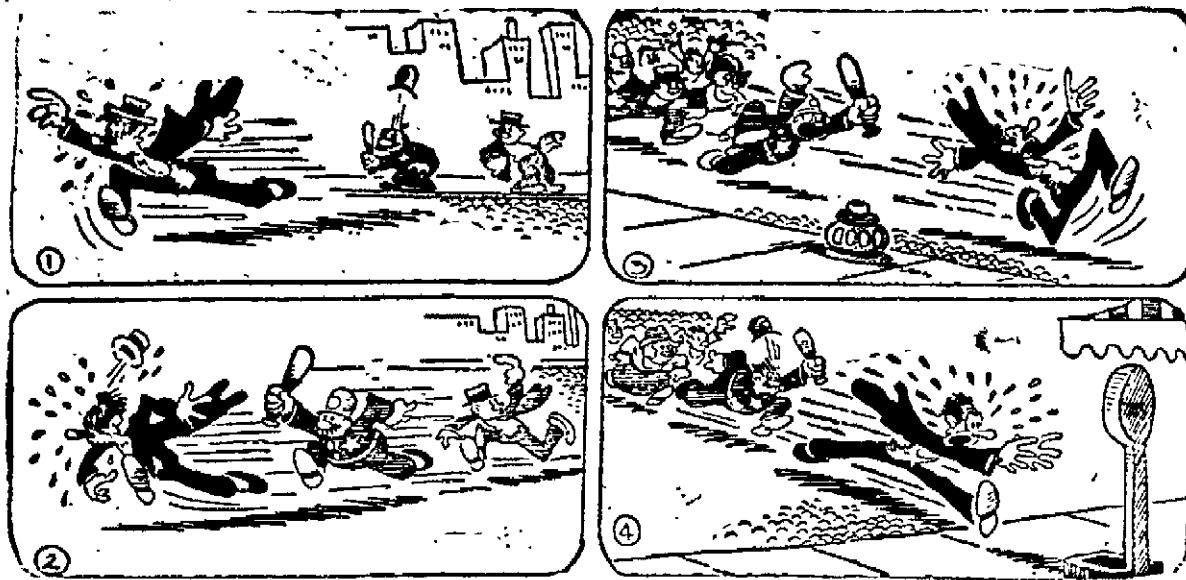
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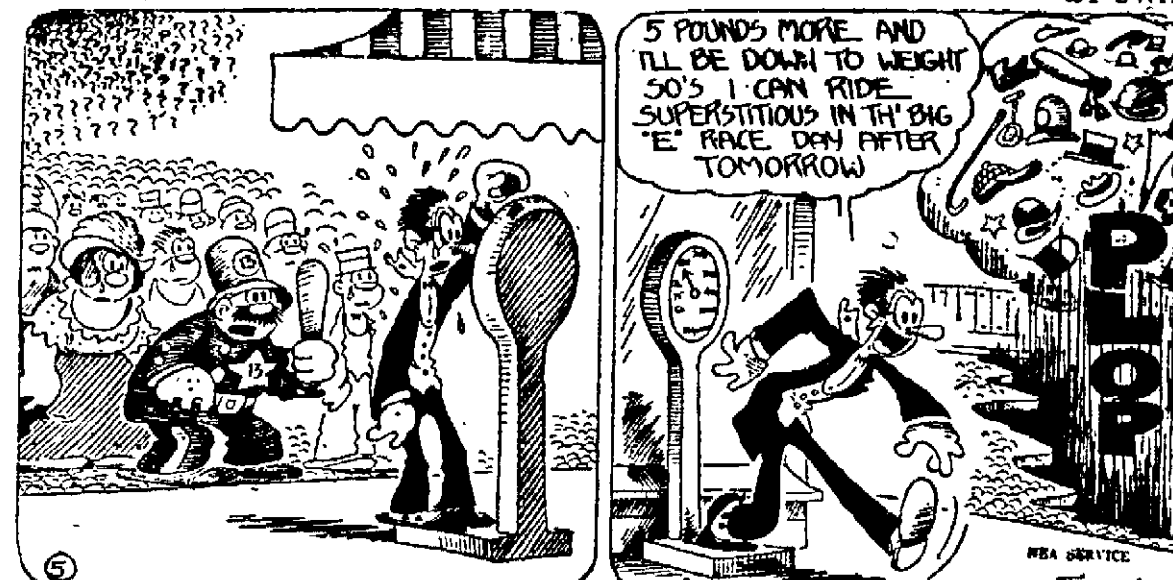
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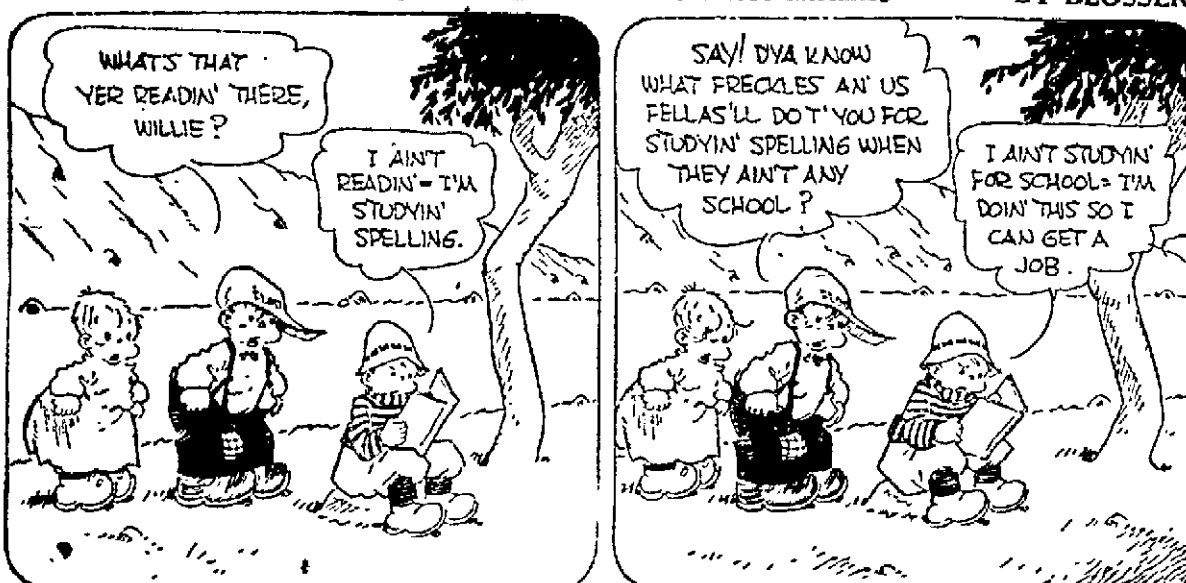


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"I'll hunt the South Pole next time."

"Anybody else lost?" asked Nick. King Snookums was just about to say no, that his subjects were all accounted for, when in rushed Mrs. Peterkin Tee Wee.

"Peterkin's gone!" she cried. "He got so warm, he said he was going to find the North Pole and off he started at ten o'clock this morning. Now it's two and he isn't home yet and I've had his dinner waiting since twelve o'clock. I had such a nice dinner, too! Apples and pudding with dandelion juice and nut's egg omelette."

"We'll find him," said Nancy. "Don't you worry any more. But as he went away in daylight, he couldn't have been riding a lightning bug."

"No, I forgot to tell you," said Mrs. Peterkin Tee Wee. "He was riding a fly."

"Then I believe I know exactly where to find him," said Nancy. "We'll look in all the kitchens."

"But kitchens are hot!" exclaimed Mrs. Peterkin. "And Peterkin was hunting for the North Pole. He wanted some place that was cool."

Nancy laughed. "I know a secret," she declared, nodding her wise little head.

Now Mrs. Brown was going to make ice-cream because it was Billy Brown's birthday and Farmer Brown had put a large cake of ice on the kitchen porch to smash up for the ice-cream freezer.

Nancy and Nick went straight toward the Brown's house to look for poor Peterkin Tee Wee.

At first they thought he wasn't there but they soon saw the ice and a hole melted in it. You could stick your finger into it and peeked in.

And there was Peterkin Tee Wee melted down in, and almost frozen.

"I went to sleep on the North Pole," he yelled up at them. "And when I woke up, I was away down here. But! Please throw me a rope and pull me out!"

So Nick let down a piece of string and Peterkin caught hold and was hauled up safely and taken home to his worried wife.

"I'll hunt the South Pole next time," he declared with chattering teeth.

(To Be Continued)

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FIND BONES OF A SNAKE 107 YEARS OLD

MONROE, La., Aug. 21.—The skeleton of a huge snake, measuring ten feet long and well preserved, and believed to have been more than 100 years old when it died, was found recently by a party of engineers and surveyors in a cave near Junction City, on the Louisiana-Arkansas state line.

The remains of the reptile showed that it had 107 ridges, indicating that its age, according to students of natural history, was not less than 107 years.

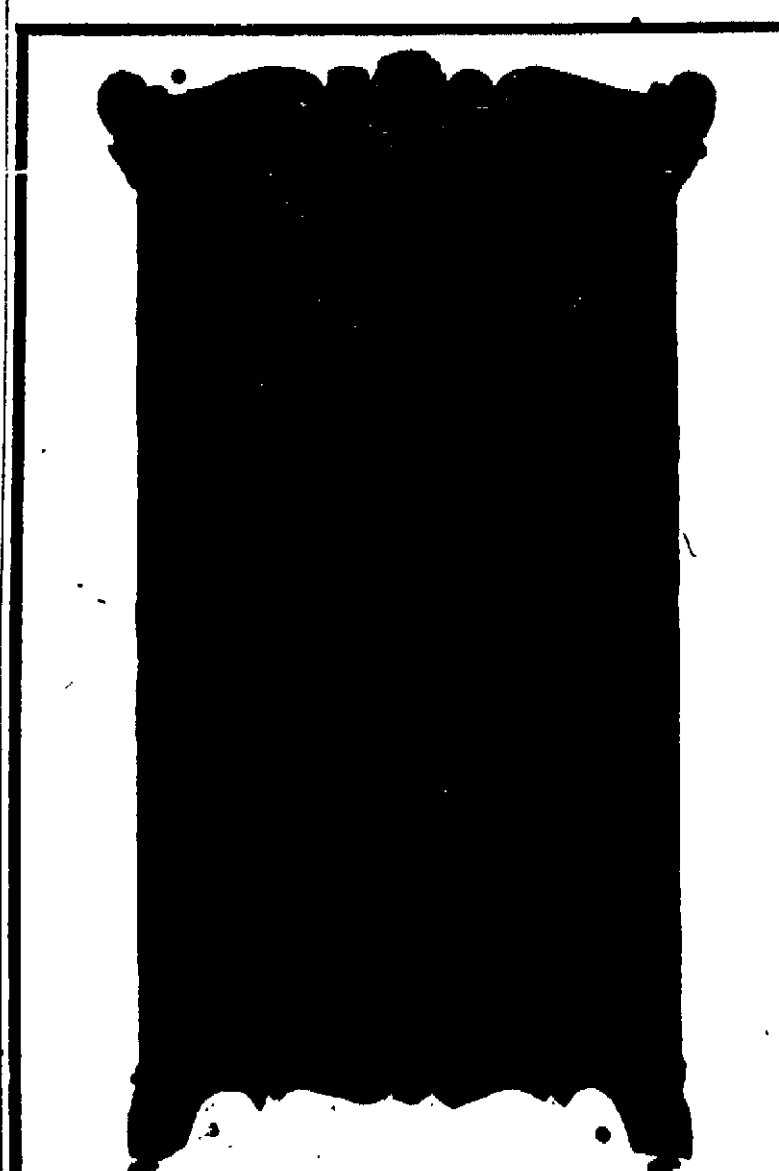
When the skeleton was found an aged negro living near the cave told members of the party a monster rattlesnake had terrorized the Junction City section 60 years ago. The slaves set fire to the woods and it was never seen again, he said.

YOUTH IS JAILED FOR TERRORIZING TRAINS

TRINIDAD, Colo., Aug. 21.—A youth giving his name as Harry Nelson, but who is said to be "Buck" Morgan, a follower of carnival shows, is being held in jail here following his arrest Sunday for terrorizing passengers and train crew of Santa Fe limited No. 1 enroute between Raton, N. M., and Trinidad, Morgan boarded the train at Raton with three guns, none of which was loaded, awakened passengers, and is said to have struck one woman passenger, Mrs. R. B. Epperson of Muskogee, Okla., over the head.

FORMER ACTRESS DIES

SCRANTON, Pa., August 21.—Mrs. Mary Wainwright, 70, formerly a well-known actress, died here late last night at the home of a relative. Her home was in New York City.



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Wednesday evening, Aug. 29, at 7:30 p. m. for work in R. A. degree.
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J. J. CARROLL, Secy.
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J. C. VAN CLEVELAND, T. M.
W. L. BELFAR, Recorder.

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NOTICE
THIS is to notify my friends, customers and prospects that I have served by term "on the road" completing a "sentence of 30 days" in the old home town of Port Arthur, Texas, and will be back in my office for the rest of my life and willing to take them out of their old home town. I am a full and complete and tried clerk.
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ROOM with garage. 2745 5th. Phone 2590.

ONE large cool bedroom. 455 New Orleans Ave. Phone 1121.

COOL bedroom for 1 or 2 gentlemen in private family. 200 12th.

ROOM suitable for two gentlemen. 711 7th St.

EAST room adjoining bath for gentlemen. 650 Mobile. Phone 750.

COOL bedroom for two gentlemen, upstairs. 931 5th.

LARGE furnished room for gentlemen, adjoining bath. 312 Waco Ave.

FURNISHED room for gentlemen. 228 Fourth.

EXTRA large bedroom to two or four gentlemen. Phone 2821, 1120 5th.

FURNISHED bedroom; two beds. 1532 Fifth.

FOR RENT—Two rooms with garage—over garage. Phone 1615.

TWO nice, cool furnished rooms for rent. Apply 549 9th.

LARGE cool bedroom with 1500 board; also garage. 592 Procter. Phone 2150.

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IN PRIVATE home large upstairs front bedroom facing lake, adjoining bath, to one or two refined gentlemen. 701 Lakeshore. Phone 1183.

FRONT room facing lake for 1 or 2 gentlemen. 217 4th.

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TWO unfurnished rooms. 1212 16th street.
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TWO unfurnished rooms to couple. 1335 13th St.

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TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 825 E. 18th.

FOR RENT—Two unfurnished rooms. 1009 10th St.

FOR RENT—Two rooms upstairs and two downstairs; light and water furnished. Phone 1705, 211 9th.

FOR RENT—Two neatly furnished rooms to couple. 1719 Thomas Blvd.

THREE unfurnished rooms. Apply 308 Augusta.

FURNISHED light housekeeping rooms. 835 15th.

TWO light housekeeping rooms furnished. 2008 5th.

THREE furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1125 11th. Phone 1106.

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THREE unfurnished rooms; also garage. 911 Galveston Ave.

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TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1259 5th.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 1801 5th. Phone 455.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 777 Fort Worth Ave.

TWO light housekeeping rooms for rent over garage. Inquire 2221 4th. Phone 275.

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. 225 10th Street.

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TWO unfurnished rooms; lights, bath. 2820 14th street.

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COAL STRIKE

Miners and Operators in Tense Session

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J., Aug. 20.—While miners a few miles away mined for a second production of anthracite and President Coolidge with his special commission watched closely from Washington for new developments here miners and operators met today to decide whether there should be a coal strike.

The pre-conference atmosphere was filled with doubt. John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America maintained that his position which brought about the previous deadlock would not be modified. Samuel D. Warriner, chief of the anthracite operators delegates insisted his side must stand on its position.

At the conference prepared to open miners stood on this position:

Their Positions

Recognition of the United Mine Workers in the contract, official introduction of the check-off system of collecting union dues from the miners, a 20 per cent increase in wages, an 8-hour day and a board of arbitration to settle remaining differences.

The operators insisted: The check-off is illegal under the laws of the state of Pennsylvania and we cannot recognize the union in this way. We are willing to submit the other questions to arbitration.

C. OF C. TO VOTE ON SECRETARY

Directorate Called In Special Session

Further consideration of applications for the position of secretary-manager of the Port Arthur Chamber of Commerce and Shipping is scheduled for tonight at 7:45 o'clock when the board of directors of the chamber meet in a special called session. H. P. Harker, president, called today.

At a meeting of the board of directors about a week ago, no action on the selection of a manager for the Chamber of Commerce and Shipping was taken because of the meeting lacking a quorum.

"Only a prophet could say whether the selection of a manager will be made at tonight's meeting," President Harker said today. "The board of directors is called to meet to consider such action, and a number of applications are on file, he admitted."

City Officials Inspect Paving, Order Changes

Several minor changes in recently laid paving are being made today by Smith Brothers construction company in accordance with recommendations of city officials who made an inspection trip over the completed paved streets.

On Beaumont avenue, between Proctor and Fifth street, it was necessary to reconstruct a part of the paving to improve the drainage. Mayor Logan said today. The inspection trip Saturday was a step towards accepting the completed paving, the mayor said.

Enters Suit for 30 Cents and Damages Against Senator Smith

DEN MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 20.—E. T. Meredith, secretary of agriculture in Woodrow Wilson's cabinet, announced through attorneys today that he will sue Senator Smith W. Brookhart for thirty cents libel and damages.

Brookhart charged recently in a speech that Meredith participated in the deflation of farm prices and the former secretary is determined to make the Iowa senator "submit his proof" the attorneys said.

Louisiana Excursion To Port City Brings 700 Visitors Sunday

Over 700 excursionists from points in Louisiana as far east as Morgan City visited Port Arthur for about six hours Sunday afternoon, coming over on a Southern Pacific railroad excursion train of about 20 cars. Numbers of the visitors were met at times here when the train pulled in about 12:30 p. m. The train left for the Southern Pacific report by the return trip at 6:30 p. m.

Dycus and McBride Indicted Says Report

BEAUMONT, Texas, Aug. 20.—Indictments against Judge A. W. Dycus of the Port Arthur corporation court, and H. E. McBride, printer of Port Arthur, were returned by the grand jury. Charges of misdemeanor were filed for false imprisonment of J. B. Holland and John Murray, two members of L. W. W.

Bans Boxing Bouts

DALLAS, Aug. 20.—District Attorney Shelby Cox has announced that the proposed boxing exhibition between Mickey Riley, Dallas, and Jack Fowler, New York, scheduled for tomorrow night cannot be held because it is a violation of the state law prohibiting prize fights. The Dallas league is sponsoring the bout.

Marine and Shipping Notes

ARRIVED AUG. 19 AND 20

Vessel, Agent, Flag, Tonnage, Location.

Scottish American (Br.), 4420, from Galveston to Port Arthur, Col.

Galveston, 4008, from Bayonne to Gulf company, Port Arthur.

Hefron, 4886, from New Orleans to Port Arthur, Lykes-Sgtievich.

Tom Bagnal, agent.

Delaware (Nor), 2787, from Europe to Port Arthur.

Sumaco, 2174, Transmarine corporation.

Galena, 3760, from New York to Beaumont, Magnolia company.

Gudfeld (Ger), 1847, from Spain to Port Neches, Chas. Martin company.

Gulfsouth, 3202, from Philadelphia to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

Trinidadian, 1765, from Savannah to Port Arthur, Gulf company.

San Leopoldo (Br), 3149, from U. S. ports to Port Arthur, Collin and Butler.

SAILED AUG. 19 AND 20

Pennsylvania, 3485, from Port Neches for Mexico, Texas company.

Trebartha (Br), 2847, from Port Arthur for Port Neches, Texas company.

Gulfsouth, 4452, from Port Arthur for Beaumont, Magnolia company.

Standard Arrow, 4900, from Beaumont for New York, Magnolia company.

Southsea, 1612, from Beaumont for West Indies, Lykes-Sgtievich.

Bolhemian Club, 4255, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Texas company.

Chas. M. Everett, 3379, from Port Arthur for Panhandle, Gulf company.

Illinois, 3692, from Port Arthur for Bayonne, Texas company.

Gulf of Mexico, 4867, from Port Arthur for Bayonne, Gulf company.

Gulfsouth, 5316, from Port Arthur for Tampico, Gulf company.

J. M. Giffey, 1533, from Port Arthur for Boston, Gulf company.

Gulfsouth, 2248, from Port Arthur for Philadelphia, Gulf company.

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Carrier, 2849, from Port Arthur for Tampico, Gulf company.

IN PORT ARTHUR

Coastwise Docks

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Delaware (Nor), 2787, Texas company docks.

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MEXICAN DOCKS

Sch. W. J. Patterson, 549, Latchler-Moore Lumber company. (Laid up).

Ship Basin

Bark Marion Chittick, 1610, Chas. Martin company. (Laid up).

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Sch. Ellice B. (Br), 362, Texas Shipping company.

Nubian (Br), 4067, John E. Jones company.

Galena, 3760, Magnolia company.

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AT ORANGE

Lake Slavi, 1658, Lykes-Sgtievich.

Sch. Roseway, 244, Latchler-Moore Lumber company.

Sch. Thelma, 449, W. H. Tippin company.

Gudfeld (Ger), Standard Export company.

VESSELS DUE TO ARRIVE

Shelley, due September 10 to Texas company.

Lorraine Cross, due September 20, Lykes-Sgtievich, Tom Bagnal, act.

Clearwater, due Sept. 23-24, to Lykes-Sgtievich, Tom Bagnal, act.

Jessie, due Sept. 20-25, to Collin and Butler.

Grove, due Sept. 15 to 30 to E. Papich.

Raid, due Sept. 1, to John E. Jones company, Fay Morgan, agent.

Sch. Rosalie, due Sept. 10 to Texas company.

Ethan Allen, due Sept. 20, to Lykes-Sgtievich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

San Leopoldo, due Aug. 19, to Collin and Butler.

Raid, due Aug. 23, to Lykes-Sgtievich, Tom Bagnal, agent.

Sch. Stinson, due Aug. 5 to 8, to Texas company.

Julius Schneider, due Aug. 12 to E. to Texas company.

Acton Mendi, due Aug. 18 to Collin and Butler.

San Manuel, due Aug. 20 to Collin and Butler.

Dirigo, due Aug. 21 to Texas company.

J. E. O'Neil, due Aug. 24 to Texas company.

New York, due Aug. 25 to Texas company.

H. C. Folger, due Aug. 29 to Texas company.

Hahira, due Aug. 30, to Texas company.

Edgfield, due Oct. 5, to Texas company.

MARINE MISCELLANEOUS

German Ship Takes Lumber

The German steamship Gudfeld

arrived in Orange Sunday & left 1:00 a. m. for lumber for Hamburg.

Second Meal Ship Here

Arrival of the Norwegian steamship Delaware in Port Arthur Sunday to lift a cargo of meal cake at the Meal Docks is announced today.

This is the second cargo ship to come to Port Arthur for the meal cake within the past week.

Port Neches Has Three Ships

Three ships are at Port Neches today, two of them, the Spanish steamship Tiffis and the British ship Trebartha going up before noon today.

The other vessel, the West Chetac, arrived at Port Neches last week to load part of her cargo of asphalt.

The Tiffis spent last night at Sabine, arriving from foreign, and the Trebartha went up to Port Neches from the Texas company's Port Arthur terminals early today.

Standard Charters, Gulfpoint

Charter of the Gulf Refining company's tanker Gulfpoint to the Standard Oil company is announced today by officials in the Gulf's marine department.

The Gulfstate went to Beaumont Sunday to lift a cargo of oil at the Magnolia company's terminals.

Former Salem County In

The tank steamship Galena, formerly the Salem County, is lifting a cargo of oil at the Magnolia company's Beaumont terminals.

Jersey City Clears New Orleans

The British steamship Jersey City, which loaded part cargo in Port Arthur recently, cleared and sailed from New Orleans Saturday, according to advices received here today.

The Jersey City is bound for Australia.

Address by Rev. Godbey at Harris Funeral

My friends and fellow citizens:

If I were to take a text today, which I do not intend to do, it would be a passage in the 40th Testament in which Jehovah is represented as having said to Cain: "The voice of thy brother's blood cryeth unto me from the ground."

We are told that there are over 10,000 murders in the United States every year, and that we have only 2 per cent of convictions of this blood of crime against human life.

The death of a man is but a passing incident, and the public has all but ceased to expect redress for these wrongs from the courts of the country.

It is eminently fitting that this convocation of citizens should come together to do honor to, and to give just recognition of the service performed by the brave and diligent officer, B. A. Harris, whose funeral services we hold at this hour.

If he had fallen on the battle fields of France, where he took part in the World war, his name would have been recorded on the honor roll of the nation, and his parents would have received financial aid from the government. None would have disputed his right to such recognition, and just tribute would have been paid to his name and his memory wherever and whenever the incident was recalled.

"To him the warrior dieth, His comrades in the war, With arms reversed and muffled drums,

Follow the funeral car. They show his trophies taken, They tell of victories won, And after him lead the masterless steed,

While peals the minute gun."

But what shall we say now, as he lies before us a martyr to his fidelity to his government and his laws? Is he less worthy of honor because he gave his life to preserve the democracy at home, than he would have been if he had laid down his life to make the world safe for democracy?

The incidents which culminated in the death of officer Harris were not incidents of his private life, but all of them grew out of, and gathered about the performance of his duties as an officer. During his short career as an officer of the city of Port Arthur, he had been unusually aggressive in his efforts to bring offenders against the laws of the United States, of this state and of this city to justice. It was true, and this only, which invoked the wrath of the lawless, and which culminated in the loss of his life.

There are two spirits engaged in life and death struggle in the world, and at this time the battle is acute, even in this great nation. The spirit of disobedience, anarchy and rebellion against law is making a mad fight against the spirit of obedience, justice and the righteous organization of mankind. The lines of battle are being more closely drawn, and blood stains the soil of this nation everywhere as it flows from the veins of the victims and representatives of vice, and sometimes from the veins of those who die in the struggle to preserve order, civilization and justice.

If the advocates of the liquor traffic and the traffic in opium, both of which are outlawed by this nation, together with the gambler and the prostitute, are to be allowed to continue to defy the government and its representatives, and the nation falls back in defeat and retreat, then the onward march of this evil horde, then government has already failed, and the rapid decay of civilization and society is at hand. But if government has not failed, and the star of hope is yet before us, the present necessities of society sound a clarion call in the ears of all good citizens to be loyal and patriotic, even if the price of that patriotism be life itself.

I am profoundly in sympathy with the aged parents who are broken-hearted today because a beloved son, who gave support and consolation to them in old age, and about whom their hopes clustered in the evening of life, has been cut down in his prime and by tragic death. But he left at his post as a trusted citizen and officer and no stigma attaches to his name.

But for the victims of vice and sin I have also sympathy and sorrow. What a tragedy that men and women, who were made to progress ever onward toward high goals and culminate this career at the throne of God, should degenerate into agents of destruction, even their heads with infamy, be hissed from the stage of life be injured and disgusted society, and die, unwept, unloved, and unnamed.

The death of Officer Harris is a new challenge to the state to bring order out of confusion, and with a firm hand and proper agencies to protect men from wandering into paths of lawlessness. Multitudes thus wander until their existence is a menace to society, and they live daily in the valley of the shadow of death.

Every such tragedy, whether it be that of a martyr in the cause of righteousness, or the pathetic and ghastly termination of the career of a criminal, is a new warning against the evil of lawlessness, and a call to all who are not entangled in the meshes of vice to save the state and its allied institutions from the ruthless hand of the lawless, and to rescue as far as possible the erring who have wandered from the way. Let this occasion breed neither heat nor

hate in any heart. But while we stand before this cold form, let us consecrate ourselves anew to the highest patriotism and renew our purpose to wage war against all evil, and to strengthen the hands of those who are endeavoring to do likewise.

This untimely death brings an additional warning that sin is always has been, and in the nature of the case always will be dangerous to individuals and to society. Whoever may have been primarily to blame when any murder is committed, we may truthfully say as did the bereaved sister of Lazarus in her talk with Jesus: "Lord, if thou hadst been here, my brother had not died."

Untimely death also brings its admonition that our lives are uncertain, and whatever services we intend to render to mankind should be promptly and speedily performed.

"Somewhere on this earthly planet, In the dust of flowers to be; In the dew drop in the sunshine, Sleeps a solemn day to me."

In a still and murky chamber, I am breathing life away, Some one draws a certain softly, And they watch the dawning day.

As it purples in the zenith, As it glimmers on the leaves, There's a hush of death about me, And they whisper—"He is gone."

Therefore I say to you in the language of scripture: "Do with thy might what thy hands find to do; for there is no work, nor device, nor knowledge in the grave whither thou goest."

Long before I close this address I revert again to the scripture I quoted when I began this discourse: "The voice of thy brother's blood cryeth unto me from the ground." There are many whose hands have not held the assassin's knife, nor fired the fatal shot, whose hands are nevertheless stained with blood. They rent property for evil purposes, they protect criminals from the power of the law, and aid and abet the lawless in their career of outwary.

The man who aids the prisoner in his crime, even if he does not directly participate, has been held responsible by the laws of our civilization as "particeps criminis," and has been reckoned worthy of punishment.

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RUSSIA PLANS NATIONAL FAIR

Big Exposition Opens at Moscow

MOSCOW, Aug. 20.—"This is Russia's answer to the entente's refusal to extend economic aid," Foreign Minister Tchertomir said today in his speech inaugurating the Russian first national fair and industrial exposition.

Speaking to officials representing foreign business interests, the state governments, the diplomatic corps and many sections of Russia and foreign society, the foreign minister said:

"When the entente delegates at Genoa and later at The Hague, showed their countries were willing to help Russia only on their own terms, we desired we would rather help ourselves."

"This exposition is our answer. It will be the strong base for our foreign trade."

Levok Kassin, minister of commerce, thanked Mukhar May, who on behalf of the diplomatic corps expressed the admiration of the foreign nations having diplomatic relations with Russia and their desire to cooperate commercially with the so-called entente.

Tchertomir also thanked the Turkish diplomat and was loudly cheered when he said:

"All the foreign representatives who are attending this exposition will spread the truth about us throughout the world."

FEELING IN OHIO REPORTED TENSE

Klan and Anti-Klan Faction Trouble Before Governor

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 20.—Feeling growing out of recent rioting between residents and members of the Ku Klux Klan in Steubenville is tense, a committee of twenty Steubenville citizens reported to Governor Dingley today.

There is grave danger of further trouble, the governor was told.

Hardware stores in Steubenville have had a heavy sale on firearms and ammunition and the delegation expressed the fear that any further outbreaks would be accompanied by bloodshed.

PAYROLL BANDITS GET \$14,500 IN LOOT IN OHIO

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Aug. 20.—Three payroll bandits today held up S. E. Hurlburt of the J. H. Day Manufacturing company and escaped with a sack containing \$14,500. One of the bandits stuck a pistol in Hurlburt's ribs while the other two made off with the sack. All three fled in an automobile which stood at the curb.

REPORT 38 DROWN IN GERMAN RIVER FLOOD

BIRKEN, Aug. 20.—Thirty-eight persons have been drowned in a flood following a severe storm in Plozk, 60 miles northwest of Warsaw on the Vistula, according to messages here today. Relief parties have started searching for the bodies. Property damage was extensive.

WOLF CHASE AT ORANGE

ORANGE, Texas, Aug. 20.—One of the most exciting chases taking place in this section in some time occurred in the Williamson settlement. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin C. Williamson and Monk Stanton were principals. Three of the largest specimens of wolves in that section were chased by the community's pack of hounds. Two of the wolves were shot and wounded, but got away.

GOV. HYTE NAMES COTTON PRINCESSES

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Aug. 20.—Governor Hyde today announced the appointment of Miss Virginia Matthews of St. Louis, as cotton princess to represent Missouri at the Texas Cotton Palace exposition, to be held in Waco, October 30.

50 RESCUED WHEN SHIP GOES DOWN

LIVERPOOL, Aug. 20.—Fifty persons and a crew escape today when the steamer Douglas sank in the Mersey river after a collision. The passengers were taken off in time.

SAN ANTONIO POLICEMAN WHO WAS SHERIFF DIES AT HOME

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Aug. 20.—J. H. Heil, 69 years old, a member of San Antonio's police force for 11 years, and for four years sheriff of Colorado county, died at his home here today. Burial will be in Mission Burial park tomorrow afternoon.

Mr. Heil was born at Anderson, Grimes county.

TELLS OF AUNT'S DEATH

Word telling of the death of her aunt, Mrs. N. M. O. Barr, of Featherstone, Oklahoma, was received Saturday by Mrs. John T. Merritt, of 517 Seventh street. Mrs. Barr has visited in Port Arthur, while her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Clifford, now of Galveston, resided in this city.

WIFE SEEKS DIVORCE YEAR AFTER REUNION

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—Reconciled and remarried six months after the final divorce, Mrs. Emily M. Doherty drifted into the divorce court again with a complaint against Harry L. Doherty.

TAKES OVER DEPARTMENT

Mrs. Zella Scott, formerly of Tulsa, Okla., arrived in Port Arthur Saturday to take charge of the millinery department in Goldberg's.

Woman Will Never Be President Says Mayoress—Men Boss Conventions



Mrs. Susan M. Salter

NORMAN, Okla., Aug. 11.—You'll always have a monopoly on the Women of the House.

Women, of course, will continue to dwell there as "first ladies," turning all the big social functions and entertaining the folks from back home. But they never will sit at the presidential desk.

That much you can take from America's first woman mayor, Mrs. Susan M. Salter, now living here.

She was made town boss of Atoka, Kansas, 26 years ago just after the Kansas equal suffrage law became effective. And she did not do a lick of campaigning. Fact is she didn't know she was a candidate until she started for the polls.

"There isn't a chance in the world for one of my sex ever being chosen president," she declares. "You know the conventions are dominated by men. And they always will be."

"But women will have their things if they practice over other offices. Some of these days you'll see one sitting on the supreme court bench. I'm really surprised how they've jumped already."

"We've had a woman in the senate. We have them in the house. They're filling out mighty important positions, too. In Ohio, for instance, Florence E. Allen is a judge in the state's highest tribunal of justice."

"All are making good. They're performing their duties as efficiently as their masculine counterparts."

Mrs. Salter doesn't favor a women's party. She does think, though, her sisters should band together to study political questions.

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MISSING BABE STARTS SEARCH

Hundreds Join in Search for Child

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Search for three months' old William McKenzie who can be recognized because her feeble health causes her to cry frequently, had extended to every city and village within 1,000 miles of New York City today. Radio was called into broadcast a description of the infant and the woman believed to have kidnapped her.

More than 100 detectives, thousands of volunteers, taxicab and truck drivers and plain citizens were coming in the hunt for the sickly child. Every newspaper in New York featured a statement from the physician who had attended the infant outlining the diet necessary to keep it alive.

The baby disappeared from her pet incubator in front of a downtown shop Saturday while the mother, Mrs. Ella McKenzie, was shopping. The mother is a feeble, sickly girl today after two sleepless nights waiting in a police station for news of her child.

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To Appeal Decision On State Textbooks

AUSTIN, Aug. 20.—Attorneys for the American Book company, were here today conferring with the attorney general's department relative to the book company's appeal from the decision of Federal Judge West wherein it was held the contract made between the book company and the text book commission last fall was invalid.

An appeal will be made in the United States circuit court at New Orleans next week.

CARTRIDGES IS THIS HEN'S FAVORED FRUIT

BIRCHWOOD, Wyo., Aug. 20.—World disarmament might be helped considerably could a flock of hens like the one owned by Olaf Cook, farmer of this community, be turned loose.

When the hen was killed for market recently its gizzard was found to contain sixty-two copper cartridge shells of .22, .25 and .32 caliber. One pin also was found in the strange collection.

TYPOGRAPHICAL JOURNAL IS NOT TO CHANGE EDITORSHIP

ATLANTA, Ga., Aug. 20.—A resolution providing that control and editorship of the Typographical Journal, official organ of the International Typographical union, be placed under the direction of the entire executive council of the international organization, today was deferred by an overwhelming vote of the convention of that organization.

LONG IN LOUISIANA GUBERNATORIAL RACE

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 20.—Huey P. Long of Shreveport, chairman of the state public health commission, in a statement given out here today, declared he would be a candidate for governor in the democratic primary next January.

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NAILS, HAIRPINS IN HER-STOMACH

Woman Coughs Up Cork Bottle Stopper

WACO, Tex., Aug. 20.—What Waco physicians say is the most unusual case of its kind on record in Texas was reported here today by Dr. J. H. Womack.

He reported that a woman, 26 years old, came to his office Monday complaining that she could not swallow. While preparations were made to take an X-ray photograph, she coughed up a ball of twine wrapped in a rag.

What an X-ray picture was taken, it revealed two 10-penny nails in her stomach and one 6-penny nail, a steel washer the size of a half dollar and a hair pin in the small intestine.

Orders were given to prepare for an operation Tuesday, but in the meantime all of these foreign articles, with the exception of one nail, passed from her. In addition there were a lead pencil, several sticks, pieces of cloth and cork bottle stoppers. Dr. Womack said he did not believe an operation would be necessary to remove the nail remaining in the intestinal tract.

SET PRELIMINARY TRIAL FOR TUCKER FOR MONDAY

TEKARKANA, Okla., Aug. 20.—Leonard Johnson, shot yesterday afternoon in western Bowie county, is still in a critical condition in a hospital here, with chances of recovery now doubtful. Clarence Johnson, brother of Leonard, was killed at the same time Leonard was shot.

M. M. Tucker of Mt. Pleasant and his brother-in-law, W. B. Brown, both in the Bowie county jail, will be given a preliminary hearing Monday at De Kalb before Justice of the Peace Sellers.

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YOU AND I

LOTTERIES

Uncle Sam, piously opposed to gambling, objects to the big lottery authorized by the Cuban government. The Cuban might make Uncle Sam start by asking him: "If you are sincere in your prejudice against gambling, why do you permit stock exchange speculation in your own country? And how about your economic system in which success on a big scale depends nearly as much on the law of chance as on effort and worthiness?"

SKIRTS

The attempt to make American women again wear long skirts appears to have failed. While women made noticeable concessions in the way of lengthening their skirts, the mid-length was unable to attract any large following nationally. Short skirts coming back to the fore. This is shown by the new fall models displayed at the National Merchandise fair in New York. Some designers are predicting that, by next summer, skirts will be as short as ever. Meantime, men increasingly adopt knee pants—knickers.

DEVIL

G. Nash Morton objects to the way newspapers and writers generally have of belittling the Devil by spelling his name with a small 'd'. He is an individual with a most distinguished personality, and if anybody is entitled to a capital 'D', he is. A capital suggestion, in two ways, and this column assures Mr. Morton that hereafter we'll give the Devil his dues. It's about time, for Satan's family is increasing at an enormous rate.

ROMANCE

From the deserts of Morocco comes Monday Hassan Sarraz, to spend a vacation in the United States. He describes himself as a "Mohammedan sherrif." That sounds like "Arabian Nights." It thrills the imagination. Alas, Sarraz spoils the picture by admitting that, when not emulating the laws, he's selling sewing machines in the desert.

LOADING

The average American is working 36 minutes a week less than he worked two years ago. So reports national industrial conference board. In the long run, the number of hours worked does not matter as much as how hard he works when he works. It is quite easy to make a day's work of grinding an axle. The board finds that the average American works about 50 hours a week. Obviously, it didn't include the hours of housewives, whose work is never done.

WRECKED

Ten million men, who were wounded in the World war, are drawing pensions from the various governments, according to the international labor bureau. Germany, which started the war, has only 1,537,000 on her pension rolls. The total, in a rough way, is equivalent to every tenth person in the United States being crippled badly enough to require government aid. History will put the soft pedal on this sour note from the war organ. History glorifies war, to perpetuate it.

TOM SIMS SAYS

Been reading so many European war rumors lately we forgot and saluted a street car conductor.

One Sunday was so quiet in Berlin they had only two outbreaks.

Chinese are worrying the British. Can't solve the Chinese puzzle.

Secretary of Treasury Mellon is in Paris. He knows his business. Left the treasury at home.

Big dynamite plot found at Cologne. It wasn't sweet of them.

Mussolini continues being the savior of Italy. His name continues to sound like wester.

Keep away from Athens. Girls wearing sleeveless dresses there are pincered with tar.

Bank 107 years old has closed in Vienna. It found the first 100 years the easiest.

Geneva women are trying to protect children from wicked movies. Leave the children at home.

Dr. Laws got mad in a Stockholm church. Laid down the laws.

Hindus and Moslems clash. The Hindus, as you know, when he has no clothes match his skin do.

Monte had luck for Europe. One out of every four United States senators are studying Europe.

Investment in America reported. New Yorker whipped a man for saying we have no bananas.

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"A MAN OF THE HOUR"

Is President Calvin Coolidge a politician? Has he poise and understanding? Does he know how to play the game? Is he a man of action? Is he a man of vision? Is he the master or maker of his own destiny? Is he a rare judge of men?

Those who have read his record as a public servant are of the opinion that he has all these essentials. He is a candidate for the republican presidential nomination next year. He is going to play the strongest cards to win that nomination that it is possible for a cool and a cautious player to take in all the tricks of the game as well as the prize at stake.

Senator George H. Moses of New Hampshire is a die-hard. That is he was a die-hard until the passing of Warren G. Harding. He was the close personal and political friend of Senator Hiram Johnson of California. He was one of those who welcomed Johnson home from Europe and among the first to wire his congratulations to the Californian for outspoken condemnation of the Harding World Court proposal.

Senator Moses is a fast worker. Warren G. Harding died and the Harding political program disappeared. Calvin Coolidge without a flutter became president. Senator Moses gave Senator Johnson the double cross. He declared for President Coolidge for the Standard bearer next year and called for all the delegates from the New England states to go instructed for Coolidge.

This was a cruel stab for the Californian. He was knifed in the back by the calculating New Hampshire politician. All the New Englanders are expected to fall in line. All the big leaders in New York, Pennsylvania and New Jersey are expected to fall in line. Col. Carmi Thompson of Ohio has fallen in line and the office holders of Ohio, federal and state, are expected to fall in line.

President Coolidge never hunts ducks with a brass band. Just now the democratic politicians are horrified. They are angry as well as horrified. President reached over into the state of Virginia and grabbed Campbell Bascom Slemple for his private secretary.

This shocked the democratic politicians. It wasn't playing the game according to Hoyle. No republican president has ever invaded the south for a private secretary. There was something sinister about the act. It carried a concealed menace. Why the storm of indignation in the democratic political camp?

Campbell Bascom Slemple is a native Virginian. He isn't a carpet beggar or the son of a carpet beggar. He is of the F.F.V.'s. All the Virginia Slemple for two hundred years have been to the manner born. They call themselves aristocrats. They possess wealth and culture. They hold a white district in Virginia in the republican column as solid as the rock of Gibraltar.

They defied the democratic politicians of Virginia, the democratic machine of Virginia, the democratic voters of Virginia. It is a family affair. Campbell Slemple, the father, held the district until he died. Then Campbell Bascom Slemple, the son, stepped into his shoes and held the district fourteen years. He grew weary two years ago and stepped aside. He declined to accept important offices tendered to him by Warren G. Harding.

Now he is President Coolidge's private secretary. He is wealthy, he is a bachelor, he is a man of affairs and conceded ability, he is popular and powerful in the councils of the southern republican party and he hopes to see Calvin Coolidge the republican presidential standard bearer next year. Of course this Virginia aristocrat of the republican affiliations is going to do his best to corral all the delegates from the southern states and lead them into the Coolidge camp for active service in the national convention of the party. President Coolidge is not wasting his time on dead ducks. He is not hunting live ducks with a brass band.

He is for the Harding policies. He will submit those policies to the American congress. If the American congress throttles them, it will be the funeral of the American congress and the funeral of the distinguished gentleman who was born in Vermont and won many political honors in the state of Massachusetts before he became a player of the great national game. It is Coolidge against the field with the field badly rattled and with the business interests of the country of the opinion that Calvin Coolidge is a safe man in a high place.

IN OLD KENTUCKY.

James Campbell Cantrell has been nominated by the democrats of Kentucky for governor to oppose Charles I. Dawson, the republican nominee. James Campbell Cantrell has been congressman for sixteen years from Henry Clay's old district. He was opposed for the nomination by Alvin W. Barkley, for years congressman from the first district. Cantrell won by twenty thousand majority.

There is a reason for it. He is a liberal. He believes in sports. He always places his money on that noble animal, the horse. Barkley is a member of the gloom family. He is bitterly opposed to race tracks and race horses. He would make every day in the year a blue Monday. He declared his opposition to betting on the race track and promised if elected, he would ask the legislature to pass a law repealing the statute under which pari mutuel machines are allowed on Kentucky tracks.

James Campbell Cantrell ran true to form. He ran according to the traditions of Blue Grass Kentucky, the home of beautiful women and fleet horses. There is another tradition but the Volstead act throttled it. He promised if elected that there will be no fight on race track betting at the January session of the Kentucky legislature.

He was backed by the lovers of fine horses, by the owners of fancy stock farms, by all men and women who loved the races, by the racing interests and his campaign was based principally on the race betting issue. Brother Barkley of the Gloom family got it where the chicken got the ax. And now the successful nominee is the favorite in the gubernatorial sweepstakes and the talent is betting that he will win the prize by fifty thousand majority.

Congressman Cantrell was one of the backers of James M. Cox of the San Francisco convention. He held Kentucky in line for the Buckeye favorite until the flag went down and victory had perched on the Cox banner. Mrs. Cantrell is one of the best politicians in America and for a woman is a marvelous player of the game. She was as much in evidence in San Francisco as her popular husband and rooted for Cox from the first to the last ballot.

Now where are the Kentucky democrats going to land in picking a presidential candidate and standard bearer next year? Cantrell is their standard bearer this year. He is almost certain of election and just as certain to be the chairman of the Kentucky delegation sent to the national convention in 1924.

James M. Cox may try to come again. Bryan came three times and the last licking he received was the worst.

Nearing the End?



The Tangle

TELEGRAM FROM LESLIE PRESCOTT TO HER HUSBAND.

JOHN ALDEN PRESCOTT

Dad called home last night. I insisted that mother should go with him. Please hurry up your business and come back to me or I shall die of loneliness. LESLIE.

Telegram from John Alden Prescott to Leslie Prescott.

Leaving tonight. See you in the morning. I love you always. JACK.

Letter from Beatrice Grimshaw to her fiancé, Richard Summers.

I confess, my dear Dick, that I was not glad to hear that you were leaving. I was alone in Hollywood without you. Among so many of the beautiful girls whom you have described as enthusiastic, one would hardly think that you would want to go.

I know of course that great times are made in Hollywood and in the business that you have taken on and I am very glad if you can have in your new work. I have always been told that Hollywood was a very beautiful place and I am quite sure I shall enjoy it very much after my present wedding, "months and months" ahead.

I remember that girl of whom you spoke, Dick and Paula Perier is her real name. She lived in Albany and when I visited there a year or two ago she was married to a man who was the most beautiful girl in the city. If I remember her right, though there was some of that understanding and selfishness in her face which you speak of, but my dear Dick both you and I know that one is not born with selfishness and understanding. One has to acquire it—mostly through suffering and tears.

Do you know, dear, I sometimes think that people who do not understand are happier. I shall be much interested in your letter from Hollywood for the description that you have given me of some of these screen butterflies makes me really think that I do not understand.

Do they seem happy, Dick? Does the girl without understanding and selfishness in her face seem happier than does your little Paula Perier who you think is it?

There, I see you frown at my calling her "your Paula Perier." The word slipped into my letter almost without my volition, but really I do not know why I am so much interested in her. I am going to write Leslie about her. You know her husband, John Prescott, has lived in Albany quite a long time. I met him when I visited there before Leslie was married and I expect he knows her.

I remember a bit of gossip going around the town to the effect that every young man in Albany was more or less in love with Paula Perier.

Write me often, dear, and tell me just what your reactions are to all the temperamental people you see in the screen colony. Of course, I am interested in them. Every one is, you know, and truly I don't believe they are as black as they are painted but rather they are "just as you and I" no better, no worse.

You and I, dear Dick, have never had any serious temptation. I have been wondering what either one of us would do if he were sorely tempted. You see I grow retrospective when you are not here, dear boy, to keep me in the active present; to keep me under your rousing eyes.

BEE.

TOMORROW—Jack Prescott to his friend, Sydney Carton—His own child.

It takes three generations to make a gentleman. Either that or three hundred dollars.

Amusements

SCHEDULE OF AMUSEMENTS

Monday

Peoples: Dorothy Dalton, David Powell and others in "Fog Bound."

Strand: Booth Tarkington's famous story, "Penrod and Sam."

Peoples: "Masters of Men," starring Wanda Hawley, Earle Williams and others; also Tom Mix in "Romance Land."

Green Tree: "The Sheriff of Hope Eternal," a five reel western.

Tuesday

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"MASTERS OF MEN"

"Masters of Men," Morgan Robertson's great sea novel, adapted for the screen by C. Graham Baker, which will be shown at the Peoples theater starting today is a real American story, written by Americans for Americans.

The hero, Dick Halpin, is the sort of a boy every American admires, sensitive to hurts, rebellious against snobbery, quick to fight and big enough to carry a secret wrong to save the girl he loves from humiliation. Dick is falsely accused of theft and runs away from home. He joins the United States navy and there he learns how to be a man. While on shore leave he and his superior are shanghaied on board a four masted and sent before the mast. They endure the brutality of captain and mate and the fifth in which they are compelled to live until they manage their escape just as the United States declares war on Spain. The boys rejoin their ships and take an active part in the battle of Santiago when Cervera's fleet was destroyed as it came out to sea.

"PENROD AND SAM"

That as thrilling and absorbing a story can be woven about the adventures and daily life of the typical American boy as about heroic adult figures is demonstrated in "Penrod and Sam," a First National picture which is now being shown at the Strand theater. William Beaudine directed the picture of this popular Booth Tarkington novel.

Every "grown-up" treasure, memory of his or her childhood, and are often worth to remark: "Those were the happy days." Recollection is kindly, however, and they forget the trials and tribulations which accompany the joys of the juvenile years. And every little American boy has his sorrows, his troubles and his disappointments—just as his elders have.

No writer in the world understands the boy as Booth Tarkington does, and this noted novelist has created in Penrod Schelfield, a figure as deathless as any of fiction. It is a name that has become a household word. Penrod is loved because he is a real boy.

GORMAN VS. LOHMAN

IN GRAND RAPIDS SOON

KENOSHA, Wis., Aug. 18.—Bud Gorman, who got himself some space in the newspapers by acting as sparring partner for Tom Gibbons at Shelby, has been matched to meet Joe Lohman at Grand Rapids, Mich., on Sept. 6, as a feature of the Thirty-second division convention.

E. W. Dickerson, who saw Bud work at Shelby, made the match.

Your Health

by Dr. C.C. Robinson

PREVENTATIVE AIDS

Specializing in the order of the day. Physicians and patients have specialized in sickness more in the past than they have specialized in the science of preventive health measures.

The Chinese pay the doctor's bills when he keeps them well. When they are sick he is in disgrace. Not a bad way of doing things, is it?

If our patriotism is assailed, or even questioned, we bristle up like a bulldog. But we allow far more important things, governing and controlling health and life itself, to escape the real issue and go almost unchallenged.

Health has a positive side. While we all seem to desire long life, we also desire to live well. How true it is that any nation which has the best preventive measures, and is thereby able to give its citizens the greatest average life combined with the greatest freedom from common disease and epidemics, will in the end possess the best of our earth. Health is not only wealth; it is power.

How many the tally, in the community where you live and enjoy the blessings of life, and the medical profession to reduce sickness and death in order to gain this power for common uplift?

Today more than at any other time this co-operation is an actual fact.

During the Great war, see what was done.

Health Gain

Co-operation in a common cause achieved the greatest results in sanitation, medical examination and purification. Habits were acquired which gave us a health gain of over 45 per cent.

The movement to increase the number of intelligent mothers has reduced the infantile death rate in many towns and cities.

Local hospitals are no longer a rarity and great gains are being made every year. The examination and health tests given school children are wonderful agencies of help.

Enlist all you can in your community in this preventive campaign.

BRITISHERS DOWN 7500

CUPS OF TEA AT MEET

An idea of the interest displayed by the English in the tennis matches at Wimbledon can be gathered from the amount of food consumed by the spectators during the series. Vincent Richards, American indoor tennis champion, who played in the tournament, told, upon his return, how many 75,000 cups of tea were served during the matches and how thousands of gallons of milk, cream and ice cream were consumed.

According to Vinnie, the English take as much interest in tennis as the Americans in baseball, and the boys over there can tell you the standings of the average player as quickly as the average urchin can state Babe Ruth's batting average.

FARRELL MAKES JUMPING

STARS, THEN BEATS THEM

ANN ARBOR, Mich., Aug. 18.—"Steve" Farrell, Michigan's veteran track coach, who is classed as one of the very best cinder mentors in the country today, is winning considerable local reputation as a broad jumper.

He has not only developed Carl Johnson and Dr. Hart Hubbard, two of the greatest broad jumpers ever competing, but he has time and time again defeated them at their own game. "Steve" though, competes in the standing jump backwards and takes great pride in out-distancing all comers.

THE YELLOW SEVEN CHINA TEA!

BY EDWARD SELL. ILLUSTRATED BY RALPH SAWYER.

ONEA SERVICE INC. 1923

This unusual series of stories deals with the exploits of "Chai-Hung," Pennington, a detective sent by his government to British North Borneo to run to earth The Yellow Seven, a gang of Chinese bandits.

A Chinese bent warily on the tail of a bamboo bridge, gaily downward at an oaring sea of black mud, beyond the narrow barrier of coconuts, an ocean of azure was receding, leaving an ever-widening stretch of glittering sand where a turbaned yee exercised a Bajou pony. The bridge that spanned the swamp served as a link between the shore and the mainland and from the inner extremity an ill-defined path wound through stunted forest-wastes, teeming with chattering monkeys.

To the student of character, here was the prosperous Chinese trader come to keep an appointment he had made with someone, possibly a stranger to the district. He had selected an unmistakable landmark for his rendezvous. He wore a white drill tunic, buttoned up to the neck; wide-legged trousers of black silk, and boots with elastic sides. An umbrella of oiled paper—yellow inside and red without—was tucked under one arm, and a solar top of surprising whiteness contrasted strangely with the swarthy skin beneath.

The thundering of a pony's hooves died away into the distance, a sudden, momentary silence fell upon the hidden monkey-colony, and the figure of a white man appeared at an opening between the trees. He stood for a moment gazing round him. Presently his glance fell upon the still form at the bridge. It was perhaps strange that at the very moment the Englishman's eyes were turned in his direction, the Oriental should become aware of the piercing rays of a tropic sun—and open the umbrella for which he had hitherto found no use.

The newcomer started visibly and came forward with swift strides until he halted within a couple of feet of the Chinaman.

"Morning, Hewitt," said the Celestial in surprisingly good English. "Glad you managed to roll up."

The commissioner of police started. "Good Lord, Pennington! I didn't know you."

"That's precisely as it should be," returned the other. "I'm delighted to see you because for one thing, I know you'd like to be in at the death and, for another, I've a hazy notion in the back of my head that you don't altogether agree with my methods."

Captain John Hewitt raised his helmet and nodded his forehead. "I don't say that," he returned.

"But I venture to contend that you don't give yourself a fair chance. It's perfectly natural for you to want all the kudos for the capture of Chai-Hung, but you ought to begin to realize this thing that our murderous friend is not likely to be caught single-handed. Besides, this affair's gone on too long. I'm getting chills almost every day from the governor asking when the Yellow Seven gang is likely to be run to earth. You've had two chances already, you must remember."

The man with the Chinese eyes frowned. "I've had the luck of the devil," he admitted, "but I'd like to impress on you that, but for my 'nobody' could have identified Chai-Hung with the gang at all. And," he added defiantly, "there's been a lot less gang murders on the island since I landed."

"There'd be fewer still—if we could bring Chai-Hung to justice."

They left the bridge and, threading their way through the trees, came presently to a solitary hut, raised high on poles, a bamboo ladder giving access to a hole in the woodwork. It stood in a wide clearing, with high walls, and both men held their hands above their heads to avoid cutting them on the leaves of the treacherous weeds.

Hewitt followed Pennington up the ladder into the single apartment of which the edifice boasted. The latter pushed forward a box and, squatting contentedly on the rough flooring, felt behind him in some mysterious recess for beer.

"And so," said the commissioner, withdrawing his lips from the mouth of the bottle with a resounding smack. "I'm to be in at the death, am I?"

"Chai-Hung Pennington nodded. "I'll admit I've been a long time over this," he said, "but Chai-Hung's genius. He had every Chinaman on the island under his thumb—once."

"Once?" Hewitt echoed blankly. "Before I drove him into the backwoods, hounded him to Island No. 1, and cut off his source of supplies effectively. No sort of organization can thrive on air."

He shifted his position on the Jarr boards and felt for his pouch. "How's Monica?" he inquired presently, screwing up his eyes until they disappeared altogether behind those strange diagonal slits that had been directly responsible for the adjective that invariably preceded his name.

The commissioner smiled. "Pretty fit. I've got a note for you in one of my pockets." The lines of his handsome face hardened suddenly and he began stroking his black hair with the flat of his hand. "Look here, Penn. When are you two going to get married? Monica's fretting her soul out because you're still prowling about, carrying your life in your hand. If you were actually the confounded pilot you appear to be all this. I'd be a sister of mine was missing meals on your account. But I'm counting on you to understand motives. Monica's had a dence of a hard time up to now, and—I want to see her happy."

Pennington's long fingers closed suddenly over the commissioner's and he held them tightly. "Thanks," he whispered huskily. "It's uncommon good of you—and I appreciate it. Won't be long now. I swore I'd wait until I'd got Chai-Hung by the heels—and by heaven! I mean to have him this time. You understand the most of me, Jack, but you've missed a certain side of my character that even I wasn't aware of until I met her. The white swan that the cursed Chinaman has murdered in cold blood lies heavily on my soul. In a queer sort of way, I feel directly responsible for every thing Chai-Hung has done since I first came here. The feeling has grown upon me until it's become an obsession. I'm no longer the instrument of a European power, using my facial peculiarities and knowledge of dialects to wipe out a Chinese faction; it's Pennington against Chai-Hung, his life or mine."

He paused for a moment, the muscles of his face twitching, the points of his fingers pressing together. "I've worked damned hard since I came here. I've had a score of identities. I've posed as a coolie, a Dusun trader, a man-larin, a rickshaw-boy—anything—everything. I've been in the hands of Chai-Hung's mercenaries—and wriggled out of them again. I've held the bandit twice again—and lost him because I was alone and the odds against me were too great. His eyes blazed with a straight light. 'But I've got him this time, Jack, because the luck is on my side at last.'"

He broke off, trembling with emotion, and the commissioner, observing him curiously, saw that great beads of perspiration stood out on his temples.

"Where's he?" he asked quietly. Pennington was clipping the stray ends of tobacco from a freshly rolled cigar.

"In a lone hut in a gully with a wall of solid rock behind him and as many of your agents as I could muster, watching every possible approach."

"Still the pessimist?" he said grimly. "How many times have you drawn in your net—only to find that Chai-Hung had escaped it?"

"True, oh King! And yet, old son, I've got Chai-Hung! He's down with fever and none of the followers who still stand by him dare shift him—if they could. A queer thing that, Jack! He who has successfully defied every effort of a white civilization to entrap him, has all but succumbed to the common enemy of us all."

The commissioner bent forward until the box on which he sat tilted dangerously. "How do you know all this?"

"I've seen him!" Chinese Pennington blew out a thin wreath of blue smoke and watched it as it ascended roofward. "I scented round until I bribed one of Chai-Hung's men to take me to his lair, and if the fellow had guessed for a moment what I was—he'd have thrown in his hand. I pitched a yarn that I had heard of the great bandit and had come all the way from Singapore to settle a dispute that had arisen as to whether such a man as Chai-Hung existed at all. He took me to a Chinese magistrate with more money than sense, and consented—on the condition I went alone and unarmed. I wormed my way to the hut—and peered through a convenient crack where the timbers had worked apart. Chai-Hung lay on a sort of stretcher. I saw enough to satisfy me that there could be no possible deception. There were a dozen or so of his followers in the room. Singapore, of Chinese playing cards spread 'face down' on the table."

"I know," broke in Hewitt grimly. "They were drawing for the Yellow Seven. I'm not likely to forget the time when you pulled me out of a tight corner, when they'd got me and were drawing lots for the pleasure of assassinating me. Go on."

Keeper Returns, Finds

Jail Unlocked and All

His Prisoners Missing

MAHLEBO, Md., Aug. 20.—When William Thomas, substituting for Jailer Taymans, returned from supper about 8 o'clock at night he discovered the rear door of the jail open and all three prisoners gone.

According to Thomas there were only temporary locks on the cell doors and Howard Messer, who was locked up on a charge of larceny, removed the temporary fastening by thrusting his hand through the cell door and then released two other prisoners.

One of these men was Frank Campbell, who is alleged to have shot and killed Albert Newby May 27 last. Clifton Simmons, colored, confined on a minor charge, was the other prisoners released.

Thomas notified Sheriff Sweeney, who organized a posse, and an all night unsuccessful search was made for the men. No trace of them has been found.

Tourists Set New

THE NEWS' SOCIAL AND HOUSEHOLD PAGE

TUESDAY COTERIE HONORS

MRS. A. M. ARMSTRONG WITH ATTRACTIVE BRIDGE PARTY

SOCIETY took advantage of the cool spell coming as a pleasant relief from the unusual heat, the past week and indulged in several of the largest parties of the mid-summer season.

With the pretty bride-elle to be feted before their wedding days dawn and the many attractive visitors in the city Society has laid aside the cares of warm days and is entertaining quite profusely with affairs scheduled for almost every day this week.

One of the smartest affairs of the past week was given on Friday afternoon at the Country club when the Tuesday Coterie club entertained in compliment to Mrs. A. M. Armstrong, who leaves the early part of September for Waco, where she will make her home. With Mrs. Armstrong's departure for Waco, Port Arthur society will feel the loss of a gracious hostess and an active worker in not only social and club circles but also church circles. She is secretary of the Port Arthur club and has been actively identified with the Coterie club during her residence in Port Arthur.

Friday's hospitality assumed the form of a lovely bridge and forty-two party, with six tables of players assembled for the fascinating diversion. The guests enjoyed the games on the cool veranda of the Country club, which was made more inviting with a profusion of pink and white oleanders and lovely coral vine clustered in floor baskets and vases in graceful arrangement at vantage points. The artistic blending of the pink and white shades of the beautiful flowers formed the color motif, which was further featured in the dainty ice course, served at the close of the games. Punch was served throughout the afternoon.

After the games the trophies for success were awarded, with Mrs. E. R. Kolb receiving a lovely favor for high score in the bridge games and Mrs. E. R. Welch cutting consolation. Mrs. A. Haley received the prize for high score in the games of forty-two. Mrs. Armstrong was presented with a handsome favor as a special gift from the Tuesday Coterie club.

The personnel of the pleasing affair included Mrs. A. M. Armstrong, Mrs. C. B. Moore, Mrs. Merle Davis, Mrs. A. Haley, Mrs. W. L. Weatherall, Mrs. E. R. Welch, Mrs. Inman Wheeler, Mrs. Moss, A. Smith, Mrs. Overton Able, Mrs. C. T. Baker, Mrs. C. V. Cuthrell, Mrs. E. R. Kolb, Mrs. C. T. Flanagan, Mrs. O. J. Abshire, Mrs. J. B. Cox, Mrs. F. E. Walker, Mrs. J. C. Stock, Mrs. Joe Carter of Nederland, Mrs. W. L. Hargrave, and Miss Mildred Briganee of Stillbush. Mrs. Don Allen, Mrs. J. A. Bibson, Mrs. W. D. McFadden, Mrs. R. McFadden, Mrs. H. M. Hefner, Mrs. G. C. Weddell, Mrs. T. G. Dellinger, Mrs. C. E. Yates, Mrs. H. E. Phillips and Mrs. E. L. Caldwell.

MRS. WILLIAM OESCHGER, who leaves Sept. 1 for Denver, Colorado, where her husband, Dr. William Oeschger, has accepted the pastorate of the Christian church, was tendered a charmingly arranged surprise handkerchief shower Saturday afternoon by members of the executive board of the Federated Missionary societies at the home of Mrs. W. S. Thomas, 1202 Sixth street.

The home was in attractive floral adornment for the delightful affair, and an informal afternoon of conversation and pleasant chats was enjoyed by the guests.

At the time appointed for the shower, the guests were given various colored ribbons to which were attached instructions for finding their favors. The guests found candies at the designated places, but Mrs. Oeschger found many beautiful handkerchiefs, as tokens of the love and esteem in which she is held by members of the other churches of the city.

A parting gift Mrs. W. J. Stock, president of the Federated Missionary societies, presented Mrs. Oeschger with a handsomely framed motto on behalf of the executive board.

Punch was served during the afternoon hours, at the close of which a tempting ice course was offered.

Those enjoying the gracious hospitality included Mrs. William Oeschger, Mrs. W. J. Stock, Mrs. C. W. Culp, Mrs. M. A. Vaughn, Mrs. I. E. Martin, Mrs. Arthur G. Evans, Mrs. W. S. Green, Mrs. Felix Broussard, Mrs. S. R. Nick, Mrs. P. T. Donahoe, Mrs. S. D. Wall, Mrs. R. S. Mulford, Mrs. S. F. White, Mrs. J. A. Ligon, Mrs. W. L. Chappin, Mrs. A. F. Graham, Mrs. C. T. Baker, Mrs. F. A. Dwyer, Mrs. L. M. Richmond, Mrs. C. E. Perry, and Mrs. W. S. Thomas.

THE INTEREST OF A HOST OF friends centers around the wedding of Miss Pauline Hall, youngest daughter of Mrs. Theo. Smith, 2412 Mobile ave., and Mr. John Beshara, which was solemnized yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. Sassine, 1003 Procter street, with services read by Rev. W. L. Blackstock, pastor of the First Methodist Episcopal church.

The bride, who was attired in a lovely frock of sand-colored crepe with smart details and accessories, is a charming young woman who has made a wide circle of friends during her short residence in Port Arthur. She came to this city six months ago from San Antonio.

Miss Rhea Hall, her sister, who served as maid of honor, wore a handsome crepe frock. Mr. B. Sassine served as best man.

The groom is widely known in Port Arthur, having graduated from the local high school and from Rice institute at Houston. He is now employed in the engineering department at the Texas Company.

A reception was held after the ceremony.

Calendar of Events

MONDAY

The Young Ladies' Missionary society of the First M. E. church, south, will meet with Mrs. J. W. Barron at 618 Lake Charles avenue.

The Woman's auxiliary of the C. U. will meet at the Carpenter's hall, 2:30 o'clock.

The Degree of Honor will meet in regular session in the K. of P. hall at 8 o'clock.

TUESDAY

The Young Girls' Sewing club will meet with Little Misses Dora and Sarah Haynes at their home 301 DeQueen boulevard.

The American Legion auxiliary will meet in the Legion club rooms at 2:30 o'clock.

The Pythian Sisters will meet in regular session at the K. of P. hall at 8 o'clock. Initiation and social hour following.

Mrs. Wilbur Abbey's Sunday school class will entertain with a swimming party at Gates pier.

mony, and dainty refreshments were served in the dining room where lovely summer flowers gave floral beauty. About one hundred friends and relatives attended the wedding.

Mr. and Mrs. Beshara left during the afternoon for a two weeks' wedding tour of Houston, Galveston, San Antonio, and other Texas points and upon their return will make their home in Port Arthur. The bride's traveling frock was of blue crepe with harmonizing accessories.

THE TEACHERS AND OFFICERS of the Sunday school of the First Christian church will meet in council session this evening at 7:30 o'clock at the church.

Plans pertaining to the future outlook of the Sunday school will be discussed and formulated at this meeting, and the Sunday school work will be rounded out before Dr. and Mrs. William Oeschger's departure for Denver, Colo. It is hoped that all officers and teachers of the Sunday school and all persons interested in the Sunday school work will attend tonight's meeting.

MRS. JOHN W. GILLEN and two sons, Weber John and Prince, of 211 Dallas avenue, who have been visiting with relatives in Morgan City, New Orleans, and Grass Tepe, La., have returned home. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Gillen's nephew, Edson Angell.

MRS. C. P. GUNN and Mrs. V. E. Sherrill have returned from The Palms at Red Bluff, Texas, after a week's outing.

THE AMERICAN LEGION AUXILIARY will initiate a class of members tomorrow afternoon at the regular session of the Auxiliary at 2:30 o'clock at the Legion club rooms. The initiation ceremony promises to be one of the prettiest ceremonies held by the Auxiliary and all members are requested to be in attendance. A social hour will follow the initiation and refreshments will be served.

ALL PORT ARTHUR LEGIONNAIRES and their wives and all members of the American Legion Auxiliary have been invited to attend the reception at the home of Mrs. A. L. Kiber, 1308 Liberty, in Beaumont Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock. The Beaumont legionnaires and members of the Beaumont Auxiliary will be hosts and hostesses on this occasion.

MRS. ROBERT STANSBURY, chaplain of the Gates pier after a delightful swim in the lake a picnic supper was served on the lake beach.

Those in the party were Misses Irene Roy, Clara Bell, Constance Stansbury, May Bell, Laura Traham, Mary Borel and Ruth Hall; Messrs. Jack Smith, S. J. Norris, Roy Hall, Harold Roy, Lance Stansbury, R. J. Baker and E. Barnes and Mrs. Robert Stansbury.

MRS. W. L. BRIGANCE LEFT Sunday for her home in Stillbush after an enjoyable visit here. After seeing Mrs. A. M. Armstrong of 2853 Sixth street. Her daughter, Miss Mildred Briganee, will remain in Port Arthur the remainder of the week.

THE CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR society will meet in executive session Wednesday evening at 7 o'clock at the First Christian church at 7 o'clock, at which time a number of important business matters will be transacted and several matters discussed prior to Dr. and Mrs. William Oeschger's departure for Denver, Colo.

All officers of the society, committee chairman and members of the various committees are urged to attend this session.

THE PYTHIAN SISTERS WILL meet in regular session Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the K. P. hall. The members of the drill team have been requested to meet at 7 o'clock for drill practice. It is hoped that a large attendance of members will be present Tuesday evening.

Fashion Will Force You to Exercise For Shapely Arms and Shoulders



THE THREE POSITIONS OF THE SCYTHING EXERCISE

By ANNE DOLAN

This is another of a series of beauty exercises, written by Anne Dolan, noted New York physical culture expert, to help you retain your health and beauty.

The scything exercise has evidently come to stay for a while, so we may as well prepare for it. We can no longer conceal a too pudgy arm under flattering draperies or non-committal long sleeves. They must be reduced and developed as the scythe may be—beautiful if we wish them to be attractive with the fashionable frocks.

It is difficult to reduce the arm perceptibly without reducing the weight considerably, but there are several effective exercises that reduce the shoulders and keep little pads of fat from appearing beneath the arm.

One way is to stand erect with the arms outstretched at right angles to the body. Then raise the arms upward, pulling upon them as though you had a heavy weight on each arm. Another one that is very reducing is to throw the arms straight out in front of you and describe circles with them, first to the right and then to the left.

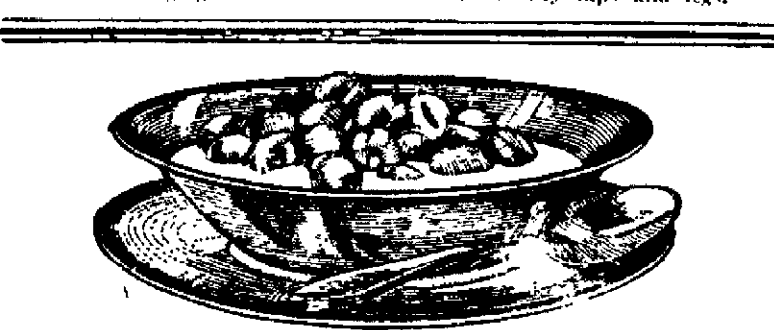
At Housework

Also, when you are using the broomstick in its other position—in the course of your housework—try to put rhythm and grace into your strokes and make a beauty exercise out of a necessary task.

Of course, swimming, tennis, golf and practically all outdoor sports develop the muscles of your arms. But remember that the arms should be developed or reduced with the idea of beauty and grace rather than of muscle.

For training the arms to be graceful, nothing is more effective than the arm technique taught in the study of the ballet.

TOMORROW—Miss Dolan tells how to beautify hips and legs.



Puffed Wheat

Steam exploded—flaky, savory puffs

Quaker Puffed Wheat is whole wheat steam exploded—puffed to 8 times normal size. Over 125 million steam explosions are caused in every kernel.

The grains are airy, flaky, toasted, and the nut-like flavor makes them a confection.

The food cells are broken for easy digestion, so all the food elements are fitted to feed.

Minerals—vitamines—bran

Quaker Puffed Wheat in milk is the most delightful night dish any home can serve.

The wheat supplies 12 minerals which growing children need. It supplies the need of Bran. And milk supplies three vitamins.

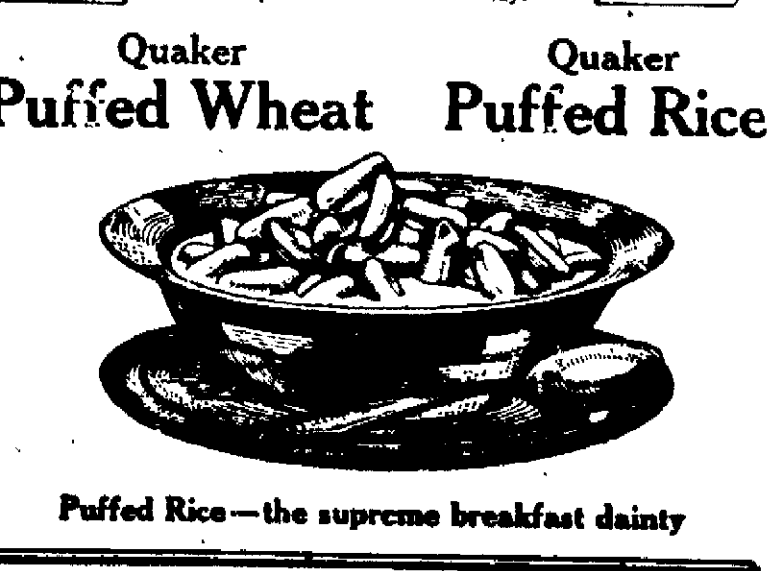
Those are foods you want your family to eat daily and in plenty. Then serve them in this tempting form. Let children revel in them.

The morning dainty

Quaker Puffed Rice is rice grains fluffed to airy globules. It forms the finest breakfast dainty people ever get. Millions now enjoy it.

Both these foods are Professor Anderson's inventions. In taste and texture, and ease of digestion they hold the top place among grain foods.

Keep both kinds ever handy.



Puffed Rice—the supreme breakfast dainty

A WEDDING OF MUCH INTEREST to a circle of friends took place Saturday afternoon at one o'clock at the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Culp, 1112 Fifth street, when Miss Vienna Moak, charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moak, became the bride of Mr. A. H. Frazier, with the impressive ring ceremony read by Rev. Culp.

The bride, who is a gracious young woman and a reader of remarkable ability, was attired in an attractive frock of navy blue crepe with smart gray hat and accessories in harmony. Her lovely corsage of tuberoses and fern gave the bride's touch to her pretty costume.

She is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Moak of 1848 Twelfth street and is a graduate of the Port Arthur Business college. She is employed as stenographer at the Traveler's Insurance agency.

The groom, who is also well known in Port Arthur, is an employee of the Gulf Refining company. He was formerly from Oskola, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Frazier left immediately after the ceremony Saturday afternoon for an overland trip to various points in Louisiana and Mississippi, following which they will return to Port Arthur to make their home.

Guests attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Moak, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lajoy, Mr. and Mrs. D. Bryan, Miss Gladys Laird, Messrs. Webb Moak, J. L. Watkins, Morris Laird, Julian Moak and O. J. Moak.

A DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR WAS given Friday evening when Misses Zella Pierce and Ernie Byrum entertained with a party in honor of Miss Gretta Thorngren of Berwick, La., and Myron Dupuy of Baton Rouge, La., at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Pierce, 1829 Thomas boulevard.

Dancing and games afforded diversion during the evening and at a late hour refreshments were served.

Those enjoying the occasion were Misses Gretta Thorngren, Alexandria Poushey, Regina Borel, Mary Barbury, Rena Broussard, Ernie Johnson, Borel, Betty Childress, Hilda Pierce, Sadie Mae Myron, Laura Mae Mazzoni, Zella Pierce and Ernie Byrum; Messrs. James Creed, Edgar Ceders, Myron Dupuy, Robert Barbury, Bill Childress, Lennie Broussard, W. A. Robinson, Emmette Byrum, Dan Carter, Denver Patterson, Ambrose Norris, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Benson and Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Pierce.

MRS. S. O. LATIMER and daughters, Miss Mary Virginia Latimer and Little Miss Louise Latimer, of 2210 Fifth street have returned after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Latimer's mother, Mrs. Newton, in Terrell, Texas.

MISS BRUNA BROWN OF Houston is the charming guest of her cousin, Miss Louise Pfeiffer of 1835 Procter street.

OVER ONE HUNDRED MEMBERS of the Junior Intermediate and Senior Epworth leagues of the First M. E. Church, South, and of the Senior Epworth league of the First Methodist Episcopal church of this city will attend the Jasper County Epworth League union at the North End Methodist church in Beaumont Tuesday night.

The Intermediate leagues will meet at the church at 8:30 and will motor to Beaumont on a truck. The program will begin at 8 o'clock.

MR. AND MRS. A. J. POER-Schke and Little son, Bobby, of 2420 Fourth street have returned after a month's vacation visit in Kyle, Texas.

CHINESE INFLUENCE

The Chinese influence is apparent in nearly all French designs for fall. Black coats, embroidered in Chinese designs and with Chinese "Morin" are being shown in Paris.

STRAIGHT AND NARROW

Paris is inclining toward the straight and narrow silhouette, with flares to make it interesting.

FAVORED FABRICS

Junia, marvella, serona and other deep piled fabrics continue to be most used for day wraps. Black leads, followed closely by shades of brown and gray.

FALL WEAR

Leading fashions for fall wear tend toward the simple frock of dark stuff and the tailored, or semi-tailored, gradually, and black takes first place.

FUR LININGS

Chiffon linings in rainbow tints will add to the beauty of the winter's fur wraps. Rich brocades will also be used.

New Home Sewing Machines for sale by Phoenix Furniture Co.—adv.

STRAND Theatre

Now Playing

Booth Tarkington's Sequel to "Penrod"

"Penrod and Sam"

PEOPLES

Today and Tuesday

Dorothy Dalton

—In—

"FOG BOUND"

Also 2 Reel Comedy

PEARCE

Now Playing

"Masters of Men"

Also 2 Reel Christie Comedy

U. S. Too Poor To Feed Army Mules in Texas

SAN ANTONIO, Aug. 20.—Under an order issued by Major Gen. E. M. Lewis, Eighth corps area commander, the army mule can eat his daily rations and yet not "feel his oats."

In order to hold the army expenditures within appropriations, General Lewis has decreed that 7 per cent of the feed for horses and mules must be effected by "grazing or otherwise." The order further stipulates that if the mules don't work they don't eat, the ration being gradually reduced according to the measure of labor performed.

General Lewis explained today that funds available for feeding animals are running low and rigid economy must be exercised.

ASK RECEIVERSHIP

MEMPHIS, Tenn., Aug. 20.—A suit asking a receiver for the Piggy-Wiggly corporation has been filed in federal court by Clarence Saunders. The corporation is the organization controlling patents on Piggy-Wiggly store fixtures and is distinct from the store organization.

New Home Sewing Machines for sale by Phoenix Furniture Co.—adv.

Interesting information in ribbon and gown and fall frocks. Old dress shoes, water line emphasized by a belt of felt upon field of carpet—grain pattern alternating with which had a gold edge.

LEADS GLASSES

Since short sleeves demand a line featured for fall wear, the glove is expected to lead in for hand covering. Colors and styles will be various shades of brown.

Stop That Nodding

If you suffer from any form of skin disease, such as Eczema, Itch, Acne, Ringworm, Poison Oak, Cracked Hands, Dandruff, Old Sores, etc., on Children, we will sell you a jar of Blue Star Cream, on a guarantee. Will not stain your clothes and has a pleasant odor. Corner Drug Store—adv.

The Frobie Windermere and many clam, conducted by Mrs. S. E. Clements, will be open for third year, Sept. 10 in Presbyterian Annex. (Information call 2234 after 7 p. m.)—adv.

At Plettman's

Cash or Credit at Bargain Prices

Good 21, 22 and 23

Don't Forget Our Sugar Deal

10 lbs Sugar 70c—Cash or Credit

When you have traded \$10.00 at our store, regardless of how long it takes you to trade the \$10.00.

Do You Run a Grocery Account?

Then you are entitled to the lowest prices that a merchant can give you, consistent with the service rendered. We run accounts from two weeks to thirty days to reliable people; you don't have to own anything but a good name.

When you pay your account we give you 10 lbs sugar for 70c for each \$10 you pay.

This should induce you to do all your trading at our store and pay your bills in full within the time mentioned. We start new bills on the 1st and 15th of each month. Following are our cash or charge prices. If you are paying more we invite you to open an account with us.

Fresh meat prices good every day this week.

Box Bacon 40

6 to 8 lb. Salt Shoulder, lb 15

Picnic Hams, lb 18

Fresh Home Cured Hams, lb 20

Pickled Pig Feet, 3 for 10

We can please you on fresh meat. We buy only the best quality that money can buy. We guaranteed your satisfaction.

Veal Stew, lb 10

Veal Shoulder Steak or Roast, lb 15

Veal Prime Rib Chops, lb 15

Lard

7 lb Fresh Loose Compound Lard 1.00

8 lb net can Fresh Compound Lard 1.25

4 lb net can Fresh Compound Lard .65

Potatoes and Onions

Peck, 15 lb net Round New Potatoes .55

Peck, 12 1/2 lb net round New Yellow Yams .55

6 lb round New Yellow Wax Onions .55

Rice, Beans and Peas

3 lb California Black Eye Peas .25

1 lb Navy Beans .10

2 lb Red Kidney Beans .25

1 lb Pink Beans .25

1 lb Baby Lima Beans .14

1 lb Large Tender Limas .14

2 lb Yellow Split Peas .25

20 lb Blue Rose Rice 1.00

2 lb Dry Apples .25

2 lb Dry Peaches .25

2 lb Dry Pears .25

2 lb Sun-dried Seedling Raisins .20

2 lb Extra Large Prunes .35

2 lb Dry Figs .35

2 lb Dry Pears .35

1 lb Dry Apples .45

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MARKETS

NEGROES KILL A TAXI DRIVER

Race Feeling in K. C. Runs High

KANSAS CITY, Mo., Aug. 20.—Race feeling ran high in Kansas City today as the result of the slaying of Tony Muccio, taxi driver, alleged to have been killed by negroes. Negro and Italian residential districts adjoin. During the night, negroes walked openly armed down Independence avenue, the dividing line between the two quarters. Others watched from second story windows. Groups of Italians were on all corners, apparently ready for trouble. Despite a strong police guard in the district, several shots were fired. The negroes were riding on a street car when Muccio was killed. Police believed the trouble would quiet down without further disturbance. Muccio was slain Saturday night. He had apparently been robbed, killed and thrown from an automobile.

FIN TAX RATE FOR AUSTIN AND FORT BEND COUNTIES

RICHMOND, Texas, Aug. 20.—The county commissioners, who were in session the past two days, fixed the tax rate for Fort Bend county for 1923 at 70c on the \$1000 valuation, which is 5c over last year's valuation.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES

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NEW YORK LIBERTY BONDS

NEW YORK, Aug. 20.—Foreign exchange opened quiet. Sterling 124 1/2, francs 57 1/2, lire 24 1/2, dollars 147 1/2, marks 154 1/2. The dollar exchange market closed steady. Sterling 124 1/2, francs 57 1/2, lire 24 1/2, dollars 147 1/2, marks 154 1/2.

CHICAGO PRODUCE

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NEW ORLEANS COTTON

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REMODEL SCHOOL

YOKAM, Texas, Aug. 20.—With the opening of the fall term of the common public schools Sept. 10, it has been necessary for the school board to have some additional classrooms. The high school and auditorium have been remodeled into classrooms. The increase in the school population could be cared for.

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO

WELL, EVERETT, WOULDN'T THIS BLISTER YOU!! DO YOU KNOW WHAT THE THERMOMETER SAYS?

WHATEVER IT SAYS IT DOESN'T SAY IT OUT LOUD!!

Housekeeping Rooms

TWO nicely furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 225 9th.

THREE furnished rooms; also garage. 911 Galveston Ave.

FURNISHED room for rent. 708 5th St.

THREE furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 1125 7th. Phone 1495.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1230 5th.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 1301 5th. Phone 955.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms. 777 Fort Worth Ave.

TWO light housekeeping rooms for rent over garage. Inquire 2221 4th. Phone 215.

FOR RENT—Two large unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. 522 10th Street.

THREE furnished rooms for light housekeeping; modern; also garage. Phone 1165, 2749 Seventh.

TWO large housekeeping rooms; bedroom furnished or unfurnished; also garage. Phone 2435.

LIGHT housekeeping rooms; modern. 521 Fourth. Phone 2352.

THREE nicely furnished rooms. 724 Lake Charles.

THREE light housekeeping rooms, unfurnished; modern. 727 6th.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms. 215 9th St.

THREE nice unfurnished rooms with garage. 2535 10th.

THREE modern unfurnished rooms. 2101 11th.

TWO unfurnished rooms; lights, bath. 2620 14th street.

TWO furnished housekeeping rooms; private bath; also garage. 1225 11th street.

THREE light housekeeping rooms nicely furnished; no children. 1037 Fifth St.

FOR RENT—Three unfurnished rooms. 516 19th St.

TWO rooms furnished. 1102 E. 16th.

THREE unfurnished light housekeeping rooms. 1312 5th.

TWO modern furnished light housekeeping rooms. 1932 7th.

TWO rooms furnished to couple. 730 East 13th.

THREE unfurnished rooms. 1032 7th street.

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Garages For Rent

GARAGE FOR RENT. 338 E. 16th. GARAGE FOR RENT. 1037 Procter.

Room and Board

ROOM AND BOARD for two gentlemen. 329 9th St.

ROOM AND BOARD in private family. 2303 Procter. Phone 717.

ROOM AND BOARD. 630 Dallas. Phone 2554.

GOOD board and room, \$5 per week; private home. 129 12th.

ROOM AND BOARD for one or two gentlemen in private family. 1646 5th. Phone 2748.

BOARD AND ROOM; private family. 610 Beaumont.

BOARD AND ROOM for three gentlemen in refined private home. 620 E. 15th.

WE now have room for a few more boarders; the best place in town. 501 6th.

ROOM AND BOARD. 1048 Procter. Phone 2311.

ROOM AND BOARD. 245 Dallas.

NEW LAMAR HOTEL now open at 333 Beaumont Ave. All outside rooms and baths. Phone 405. Mrs. J. T. Childress, Mgr.

BOARD AND ROOM—Large nicely furnished cool bedrooms for adults. Dining room connected, serving best meals in city. Try one of our special Sunday dinners; garage accommodations. The Model Apartments, 3141 Procter street. Phone 2535-3545.

Wanted To Rent

THREE-ROOM apartment furnished in 3 blocks of Procter, north side of Shreveport. Address box "S" care News.

WANTED—Board and room close in by couple with small baby. Phone 1304.

TEXAS FURNITURE CO. Will pay cash for your furniture. 718 Houston Ave. Phone 1323.

Wanted To Buy

WANTED—10,000 coat hangers. Call Taylor Furniture Company, Phone 1916.

WANTED—Ford roadster, must be in A-1 condition; will pay cash. Apply 4194 Procter. State Loan Co.

TAYLOR Will buy anything. Your furniture, tools, sewing machine, gun, stove or heater. Phone 581. 427 Procter.

Wanted—Miscellaneous

THIS IS THE DAY TO sell your furniture at good prices. IF YOU WANT TO BUY, Save your money—call on B. LOUISER & SON FURNITURE CO. 505 7th St. Phone 1833.

For Sale or Exchange

FORD touring for your equity in vacant lot. Call Fuller. Phone 1517.

WANTED—To trade Ford for milk cow. 1023 Nederland.

For Sale Miscellaneous

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY WE ARE GOING TO SELL

A 5-PLY 30X3 1/2 FABRIC CASING FOR \$8.25

30X3 1/2 EXTRA HEAVY RED TUBE\$1.75

STRICTLY FIRSTS "WE'LL SELL YOU YET" AUSTIN AVE. TIRE CO. 540 AUSTIN AVE. WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

THREE rooms of furniture, also baby laundry. 227 W. 15th.

FOR SALE—Horse, wagon and harness and some furniture. 4-room house for rent. 600 W. 18th St. rear.

CANARIE birds, extra good singers. \$7.50 a pair with cage. Dresser, rug, refrigerator, linoleum cheap. 503 Houston Ave.

FOR SALE—Fine Wicker baby carriage. 1818 13th.

FURNITURE for three-room house. Fully buying can rent house. Apply 130 East 16th after 3:30 p. m. or Phone 1267.

100 car loads of oak wood to be sold at \$12 per cord, delivered. Beginning August 15th to October 1st. Place your order now.

S. P. WOODYARD Phone 2070

LARGE new line of latest styles of watches at the lowest prices. E. B. SUTHERLIN, 414 Procter street.

FOR SALE—Trunks and suitcases at special prices at JACOBS & LIP- OFF, 445 Austin Ave.

FURNITURE

UPHOLSTERING, REFINISHING. FURNITURE, GLASS, ETC. 2124 NINTH. PHONE 614.

Special Sale Army Regulation

Shirts, blankets, shoes.

We were recently awarded a large lot of the above.

Genuine O. D. Regulation wool shirts\$3.45

3 for\$10.00

Genuine O. D. Regulation blankets,\$2.95 to \$4.95

Officers dress and regulation shoes\$2.95

For a small deposit on shirts and blankets we will hold for 60 days.

Take advantage of these prices as these articles will advance in price by fall.

Complete stock of Army Goods at reduced prices—come in and inspect.

Henry's Army Goods Store 219 Procter

For Sale—Autos

FORD touring man-starter, cheap (or cash). American garage, 901 Houston Ave. Phone 1019 or 2950.

WE have a few exceptional bargains in good used cars that will be sold this week at \$25 cash and \$20 per month.

1918 Dodge touring\$60

1918 Buick four touring\$100

1918 Buick six touring\$175

SMITH-MAY MOTOR CO.

LOOK these cars over and try them out for yourself.

1922 Buick roadster\$325

1922 Buick touring\$350

1922 Buick touring\$400

1922 Dodge touring\$425

1922 Chevrolet coupe\$490

1921 Ford touring\$400

These cars have been taken on new 1924 Buick four-wheel drives. We will make terms to suit you. SMITH-MAY MOTOR CO.

FOR SALE

FIVE-ROOM modern house on 17th street. All new, ready to move into. \$2250, \$250 cash, balance \$20 and interest. DEWITT & SANDERS 521 Austin Ave. Phone 1745

FOR SALE—Reasonable, tailor shop doing good business, location good. Reason for selling, leaving town. Apply at 540 Houston Ave.

Port Arthur Real Estate

SUBURBAN HOMES

If you are interested in having your home with a plot of ground big enough for you to raise your own vegetables, keep a cow, chickens and maybe a pig or two, you can find one that will just meet your need among the following:

A 3-acre tract on the Beaumont road, with roomy 6-room house, for \$2000—good cash, the balance on terms. Additional acreage may be had if you want it.

A 2-acre tract on Beaumont road \$4000. Terms arranged.

A 20-acre tract 1-4 mile from Beaumont road, with good 6-room house, for \$10,000, takes only \$1750 cash, balance easy. This tract would make a good sub-division in a few months, and would cut up about five lots per acre. Figure that for yourself.

A big 3-room house and 1-acre lot only two blocks from Beaumont station. House so arranged as to accommodate two families easily. \$4750, only \$1500 cash, balance \$30 per month.

Something over 1000 acres of land near Port Arthur and Nederland, fine speculative investment. LEROY C. STUMP 210 Deuster Bldg. Phones 477 and 123

NICE 5-room modern, 900 block Stillwell, it's a corner. \$1500, only \$300 cash, balance \$25 per month.

DANDY 5-room modern, 2300 block 9th street, corner lot, servants' house and garage. \$5000, note \$35 monthly.

FIVE-ROOM and garage, 2300 block 13th, \$3500. Reasonable cash payment. Note \$35 monthly. New and all modern.

HOUSES, lots, \$350 cash payment and see us. WOOTEN & DAVIS 415 Procter.

HERE'S your chance to get a practically new 5-room all modern home with beautiful lawn on corner lot on 12th street for \$2350, \$850 cash. A FIVE-ROOM garage home on 5th street, Model Addition, in the 3100 block, \$4300, \$750 cash, balance like rent.

WONDERFUL buy in 5-room modern home on Eighth street in 2000 block, \$750 cash, balance to suit you.

A FIVE-ROOM garage home on 5th street, Model Addition, in the 3100 block, \$4300, \$750 cash, balance like rent.

THIS is a bargain, so see us now.

CORNER lake front lot on 15th street with building clause, \$300, \$250 cash. LAKE front lot on 7th street Model Addition between 6th and 7th avenues. \$1400, \$700 cash.

A NUMBER of choice lots on 11th street for \$1500, \$450 cash.

ACREAGE

10 ACRES right on the Beaumont road and close in. \$5500, \$1000 cash. This land is worth \$1000 an acre, but for quick sale will take the above price.

FIVE acres and truck farming land near The Groves for \$1750, \$500 cash, \$30 per month with no interest to pay for balance.

LAIRD & FRERE Room 10 First National Bank Bldg. Phone 311.

A GOOD location in 2300 block 7th street with 5-room house, lots of grapes and figs. You can get easy terms on this place. Price \$1750, cash \$500.

FIVE-ROOM house in 2300 block 9th street can be handled with a small payment down.

NICE home in 2300 block 12th street. On 15th street ready to move in. 6-room with all fixtures.

GOOD corner and 5-room house near the Texas Co. price \$2500 with a small payment down.

DANDY LITTLE home near Klob's Crossing, can be gotten with a little money.

MACKAY BROS. Merchants Bank Bldg. Phone 1774.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Lot, Model Addition. Phone 2461.

FOR SALE TWO OF THE HIGHEST LOTS IN THE NEW MODEL ADDITION ON Tenth street. CAN BE HAD FOR ONLY SMALL CASH PAYMENT AND THE BALANCE MONTHLY. WILL TRADE FOR HOUSE AND LOT.

A BRAND NEW 5-ROOM HOUSE ONLY FIFTEENTH STREET. GOOD GARAGE, LIGHTING FIXTURES, KITCHEN SINK AND THREE-PIECE BATHROOM. PICTURES, \$2000 CASH.

THE BALANCE EASY AS RENT. ALSO SOME GOOD FOUR AND FIVE-ROOM HOUSES CLOSE IN. ON FOURTEENTH AND SIXTEENTH STREETS. SEE US BEFORE YOU BUY.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—1218 BARRIER 425 Procter Street. Phone 35

ACREAGE SOME very desirable acreage in five-acre tracts between Port Neches and Beaumont. Port Arthur paved road. Ten per cent cash and one per cent monthly. LIGON & NOTT Phone 274-1917 Room 14, Terminal Bldg.

Post Arthur Real Estate

20 ACRES on high ridge near Austin house and lake also in excellent dairy on country road. \$2500 cash for city property.

THE most desirable corner lot in Port Arthur Addition, see map.

SEVEN-ROOM modern house with double bath, call on owner, 1001 1st street, 11200. Terms.

SIX-ROOM modern house and corner on 7th street in Old Model Addition. Can be had for \$2000 cash and balance at \$50 per month.

FIVE-ROOM house with bath and garage on 14th street, 1100 block. \$2500. Terms.

FIVE-ROOM modern house and garage on 15th, 1200 block, \$2500. Terms.

FIVE-ROOM house on 16th street, 1100 block, \$2500. Terms.

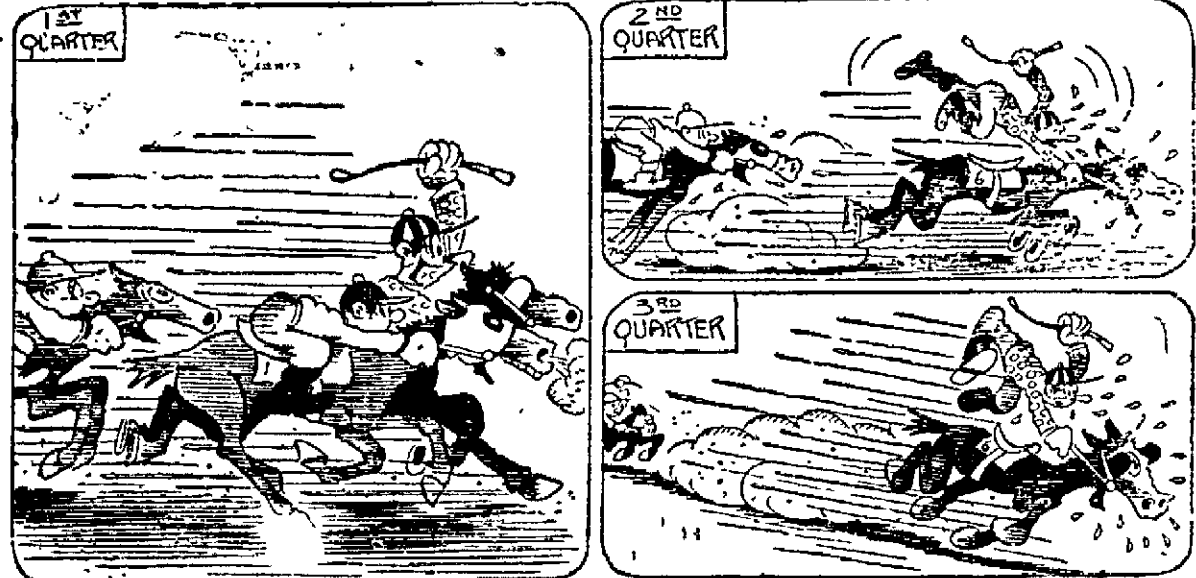
TWO adjoining lots on 6th street in Model Addition for quick sale, \$2500.

LOT in Griffiths Residential Park, will take car in trade.

THE GUMPS—THE GOLDEN MOMENT



SALESMAN SAM

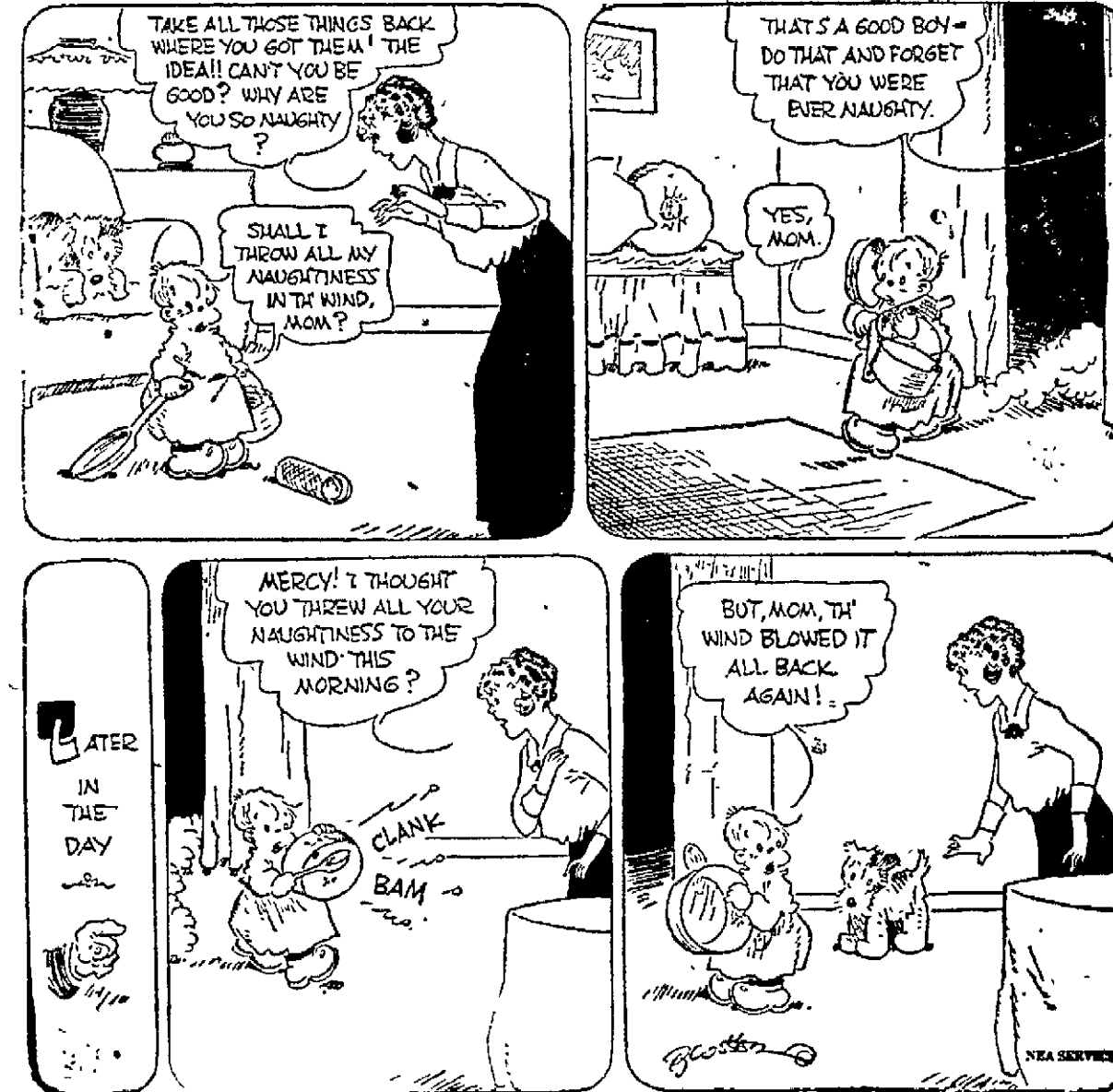


Superstitious Has an Oat Meal



BY SWAN

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS An Ill Wind



BY BLOSSER

OUT OUR WAY



BY WILLIAMS

OUR BOARDING HOUSE



BY AHERN

THE OLD HOME TOWN



BY STANLEY



"My goodness!" exclaimed Nancy. "where's everybody gone? There isn't a soul left in Pee Wee Land, I do believe."

And it certainly and look like it, for the little country under the burdocks where the Pee Wees lived was as bare as a skating pond.

The Twins peeped into the palace but King Snookums was nowhere to be seen. The Dumpsies and the Tiny Mites and the Upsidaisies and the Grumpdumps were all as gone as the day before yesterday.

The butcher, the baker, and the candlestick maker had completely disappeared.

"What can be the matter?" wondered Nancy in a puzzled voice. "A few minutes ago everybody was here, and now nobody is here. We'll have to ask the bugs and grasshoppers and worms, Niekie. They may know something."

But to add behold, there wasn't a single bug, or a grasshopper, or a worm or anything. You would have thought—well, goodness knows what you would have thought, any more than the Twins did, as they pattered here and there in their magic shoes like busy little fairies.

Pretty soon they heard a rumble. It sounded like thunder. But wasn't thunder, they knew, because the sky over the top of the w and grass was as blue as China.

Suddenly something gave a bounce and landed almost on top of them.

"Oh!" screamed Nancy. "What?"

"It's only me," answered rumbling, good natured voice. "I to make a friendly call, but minute I got here every Pee Wee jumped on a bug or grasshopper butterfly and flew away. I thought I was going to them."

Then the Twins saw who it was. Fat old Mister Toad in his waistcoat.

"Oh, you'll have to go home once," exclaimed Niekie. "The Wees won't come back home you have gone."

"You don't say so?" grunted Mister Toad. "Very well then, I'll but I don't call it being neight one bit."

And away he hopped.

(To Be Continued)

FOUR HELD ON LASH CHARGES

Tulsa Under Martial Law for Week Now

TULSA, Okla., Aug. 20.—A week of martial law here brought on by the severe whipping of Nate Hantaman to date has resulted in charges having been filed against Bob Atkins, former deputy sheriff, E. H. King, Marshall Moore and Roland C. Ragle. Ragle is held a prisoner under guard by the soldiers. The other three have been charged with rioting and released on \$1500 each. They were freed from detention by the military authorities on writs of habeas corpus.

Reports that guards clashed with civilians early Sunday morning were denied by Adjutant General B. H. Markham but residents living close to the army tell of eleven shots having been fired.

According to the story told the correspondent, five civilians came close to armory where several prisoners were held. The guard ordered them to halt but the civilians ran, and the soldiers fired over their heads. None of the civilians returned the fire, according to this story.

General Markham today said he expected to file perjury charges against witnesses in connection with the giving of testimony before the military court of inquiry probing "whipping parties" here.

No further demonstration over Sunday by the "first crosser" of the Ku Klux Klan were reported.

Tame Bears are Bored To Farmers Who Turn Of Hencoop Journal

KANE, Pa., Aug. 20.—P bears are becoming so tame along the Highland road a few from this city as to prove a serious problem to the farmers. The which these bears are all large tracts of forest lands, wild game abounds and under protection of the state laws the bears are becoming so tame in instances that the farmers deem them nuisances.

While members of the family John L. Griston, living on a farm near the hamlet of Highland here, were sitting on the porch, the early evening recently, heard a commotion in the barn a few hundred feet away. He was reaching, cattle loving, hens cackling.

Investigation showed a large bear making its escape across fields in the woods after having knocked over a bee hive and scented the honey. The family of C. Fairweather, living about from the Griston place, on an occasion have chased bears from their chicken house.

TOO MANY STUDENTS FOR PROFESSION

Educator Says the College Should Push Agriculture

AMES, Iowa, Aug. 20.—The number of students studying in American colleges and universities for the first time in five years, according to the demand for such training, according to Prof. W. H. Lancelot, head of the vocational education department, who was one of the speakers before the second summer session at Iowa State College here.

This condition is brought about largely through the training in rural high schools, although poor economic conditions have something to do with it, Prof. Lancelot declared.

Prof. Lancelot urged the necessity of a greater number of young people taking up the study of agriculture.

"There are five times as many students studying for the professions as there are positions for them and three times too many studying for industrial and business positions," he said. "Only one of our students are studying agriculture as should be taking that course."

Prof. Lancelot declared that the situation was becoming serious and a further disruption of economic conditions might result unless a cultural courses were made popular and more young people looked to the farms for their livelihood.

Marcel Waves Didn't Fool the California Voters a Little Bit

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 20.—During the height of the boom of public service commissions now famous "jazz band" campaign for the \$35,000,000 pension for the only bond issue defeated at the June 5 city election, Miss Thompson went to a Broadway hair dresser and employed a marcel wave.

Then she had her hair becoming dressed to beguile the voters into marking their ballots "yes" for the power bonds.

The voters—38,301 of them—marked their ballots "no" on the power bond issue, despite Miss Thompson's becoming a marcel wave, and the bonds were defeated. But a bid for \$4.55 for Miss Thompson's hairdressing arrived at the city hall, along with other political bills from the public service commission.

Claims Wife Held by Gypsy Tribe for Sum Of \$3000 in Ransom

DETROIT, Aug. 20.—Search of a camp of gypsies near here was made this afternoon in an effort to locate Amelia Nicklos, wife of Miller Nicklos, Erie, Pa., said to be held for \$3,000 ransom.

The sheriff's office agreed to search the gypsy camp after a story of adventure and kidnapping, started when Nicklos' daughter married a Detroit gypsy a month ago, was told.

Nicklos' wife was seized and held for ransom when she visited her daughter in the gypsy camp, Nicklos charged.

Huge Fish Tugging At Line Pulls Man To Watery Grave

DETROIT, Aug. 20.—"Drove by a fish," has been written by theorists opposite the name of I. W. Wimblerly, 37, who met in St. Clair river.

Wimblerly, accompanied by George B. Horrell, rowed to the middle of the stream, dropped a fishing overboard and went to sleep, fish swallowed the bait and tugging at the line, which Wimblerly had tied to his arm. Wimblerly upset the boat and thrown into the water.

The line became wrapped around his arms so that he could not get out and he drowned.

REMOVE DE VALERA

DUBLIN, Aug. 19.—Famously De Valera, Irish republican leader arrested this week by Free State soldiers, was brought here under guard today from Limerick. It was expected he would be taken to Mount Joy jail.

SHORT STORIES

Each With Frills, Facinations and Otherwise
By "S. S."

Shower.
Buses crowded.
Pay Day tomorrow.
Ball game today on Lakeshore.
Pay up those Red Cross pledges.
Elect Chamber secretary last night.
YMBL at New Lake View hotel today.

Retail Merchants meet Thursday night.
U. S. army engineers boat in yesterday.
FAMOUS FIRMS: Kings and Queens.
FAVORITE EXPRESSIONS: Oh, but a night.

Evan Fred Dodge punches the clock at the Texas Co.
Rous and Forst move into new location next week.
Big Mackerel catch reported from Corpus Christi Sunday.

News Vesper Service at First M. E. today, 5 to 6 o'clock.
Anti-bus line ordinance passed finally by the city dads today.

DAILY SHIP SCORE: In Port Arthur, 13; at Beaumont, 6.
Bob Latimer and Charley Frakes fished for today.

Jim Brennan missing from the city's water department office today.
Carl Garner called for those present at the YMBL luncheon today noon.

Workmen on new Tyrrell building a Fifth street worked in the slusher today.
Dick Sheeks receiving congratulations on his 25th birthday today. (When, Maude).

HEARD ON PROCTER: Hadn't ask me what I know. The jury's in session.
CROWDS TO BE CROWNED: The bird who invites you to 'coffee' and then makes you pay for it.

Men wearing winter suits in the summer time shouldn't complain about heat, Sparks Broeder opines.
K. C. Rogers says his luck at salt water fishing has changed, and exhibits a string of mackerel to prove it.

Bill Beasley, surveyor in the city engineer's office, and Harrison Fisher, superintendent of the city water department, are vacationing.
"How long has your wife been gone?" asked one man of another on Procter street today. "A check book and a half" was the answer.

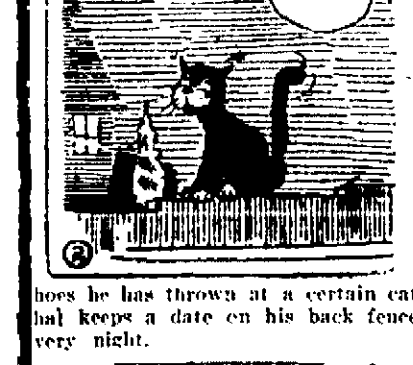
When Sam Latimer asked Leonard "fisher to 'coffee' the other day, Leonard replied, "No thanks, but I'll take the nickel" and Sam shelled out.
Gus Mikowski went fishing Sunday and got stuck in the mud and water near Potatoe Patch lake. He had to carry his guests to dry land on his back.

"Everytime I sit down to play a game of bridge," says Major Bill Broadland, "some bird at the Port Arthur College starts up 'God Save The King' and I have to finish my game hanging up."

C. C. Logan, standing at the portals of the city commissary door today when Ben Wiley walked through, remarked aloud: "Pass on, weary traveler, pass on."

The appointment of Charles Bushy as building inspector was confirmed by the city commission this morning upon the passage of a motion presented by Mayor J. P. Logan.

Perry Pace says he will have to come to work barefooted pretty soon unless he can recover some of the shoes he has thrown at a certain cat who keeps a date on his back fence every night.



NEW DIRIGIBLE

Biggest in World to Make Trial Flight
LAKEHURST, N. J., Aug. 21.—The navy ZR-1 largest rigid dirigible in the world will rise in a trial flight about September first. It was successfully launched here yesterday. The balloon bag is 690 feet long, and 78 feet through.

U. S.-MEXICAN AGREEMENT IS ACCEPTED

Train Bandits Hold Up Katy In Oklahoma

Slug Four Members of Train Crew and Escape With Loot from the Express Car

OKLAHOMA CITY, Okla., Aug. 21.—Swooping down on the M. K. and T. passenger train No. 123 as it rolled into Okesa, Okla., shortly after midnight more than half a dozen robbers, believed to have been led by Al Spencer, will-o-the-wisp bandit of north-eastern Oklahoma, slugged four members of the train crew and looted the mail car of an undetermined amount of registered mail.

Swinging off the train, the bandits piled into three automobiles and headed westward, amid a volley of shots from the train crew into the fastness of the Osage county hills.

About twenty packages of registered mail was taken. The passengers were not molested.

Fire Through Doors
Scalp wounds were inflicted upon Fireman B. D. Towers and Engineer D. W. Miller. After slugging the engine crew, the bandits fired through the doors of the mail car, forcing entrance. C. D. Wells and W. D. Burch, mail clerks, were severely pummeled in a scuffle with the hold-up men. None of the injured men are in a serious condition, according to Conductor J. J. Koch. All members of the crew were from Parsons, Kan.

The location of the holdup had an excellent setting, according to J. J. Koch, conductor of the looted train, which arrived here this morning. The train was nearing the end of a long grade and curve, moving slowly through desolate country a mile east of Okesa, when the engineer saw five upon the track a short distance ahead.

Men Board Train
As the train slowed down, two masked men, believed to have boarded the pilot when the train stopped at Bartlesville, leaped into the cab and covered Engineer Miller and Fireman Towers with revolvers. The train jolted to a dead stop within a few feet. The express and baggage cars were cut loose from the train and the engineer with revolver pressed to his back by a bandit, was forced to drive the coaches a short distance from the passenger coaches. During the holdup, several robbers kept up a constant firing as five men looted the mail cars of registered packages.

Guard Highways
After going through the "mail coaches," the crew was warned to take their time in getting under way and the bandits disappeared in the darkness, scattering shots were fired by the crew at the retreating bandits, who returned the fusillade, according to Koch.

Osage county officials were guarding all highway outlets today with deputies stationed at short intervals, but it was believed the bandits were temporarily safe in their rendezvous somewhere near the scene of the holdup.

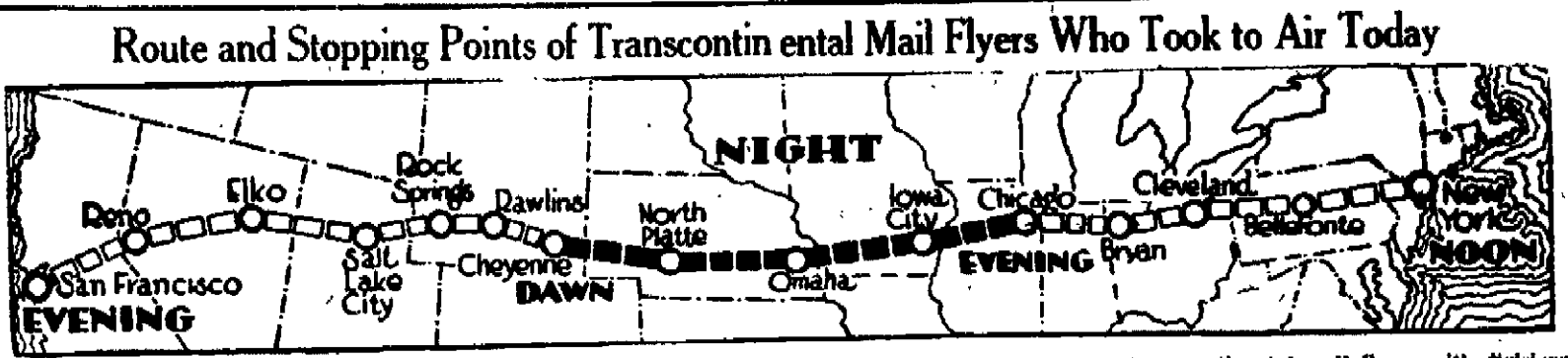
The amount of the loot taken cannot be determined until receipts for the missing packages are checked, according to postal officials.

LOADED WAGONS

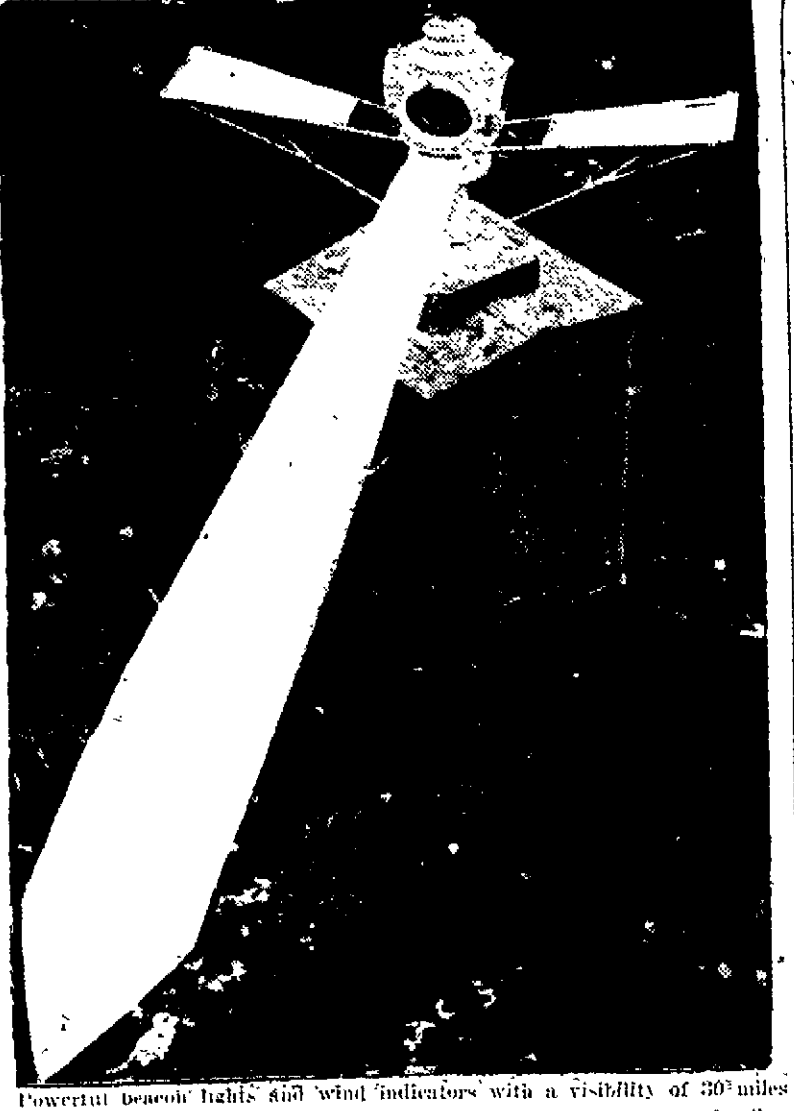
Must Keep Off the Asphalt Streets—Mayor
Practice of driving wagons over asphalt streets, must be stopped, according to an edict going forth to police from Mayor Logan's office.

Recently a number of complaints have come into the mayor's office relative to gravel being spilled on the new streets. In the warm weather the gravel being pounded into the streets, ruins what otherwise might have been a good pavement, city engineers say.

As far as possible it is the desire of the police to route heavily laden wagons over the dirt streets.



EYES OF THE NIGHT FOR MAIL FLYERS



Powerful search lights and wind indicators with a visibility of 30 miles like the one shown in the top picture are erected on emergency landing fields at 25-mile intervals along the 3000-mile stretch to be flown by the night air mail birdmen.

New York-Frisco Mail By Plane Is Started By U. S.

Aviators Hop Off This Morning in Big 28-Hour Drive Across the American Continent Today

ELKO, Nev., Aug. 21.—Private William E. Blanchfield, government flyer driving the eastbound transcontinental 28-hour mail plane, arrived at 10:14 a. m., Pacific time. The 13 sacks of mail were transferred to a waiting plane.

MINEOLA, La., Aug. 21.—The Mineola plane with a cargo of letters destined to reach San Francisco in 28 hours by rapid relays, left here at noon sharp. The first scheduled stop will be Cleveland, 485 miles.

MITCHELL FIELD, MINN.—OLA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The modern pony mail express takes the air today. Carrying 500 pounds of important luggage, a United States mail plane will leave here on a trip that is expected to terminate safely in San Francisco in 28 hours, carrying letters from coast to coast in the fastest time on record.

A plane on a similar mission leaves San Francisco simultaneously. The innovation of the post office department recalls the days of pioneering when men rode swift steeds in a mad rush to carry the United States mails across the plains.

Make Changes
The pony express rider of old flung himself off one horse and onto another at the relay stations, continuing his mad gallop with hardly a pause for a fresh mount. The pony express rider of the sky will make similar changes. At several stations across the continent the mail plane will descend and its cargo will be transferred to a fresh plane with a new pilot. No one pilot or plane will make the entire trip. The first stop will be at Cleveland, Ohio.

Second Zone
The second zone of the trip—from Chicago to Cheyenne—will be flown in the night. Strong beams of light that will mark the path to fields are provided all along the line.

Over the plains of Iowa and the central west the mail will be hurried while the nation sleeps. As dawn peeps over the shoulder of the westward bound carrier, he will be in the territory in which Indians and bandits were enemies of the original pony express riders.

The Last Lap
The last long lap over the mountains will bring the messenger of Uncle Sam into San Francisco. At approximately the same time mail from the far west will be landed in New York.

The schedule will be maintained for five days. If it is successful the service will be continued.

HOUSTON AUTHORITIES TO PROBE GAS PRICES

HOUSTON, Aug. 20.—Investigation of gasoline prices in Houston following the 1 cent cut made here Saturday will be made by the district attorney's office, it was learned today.

The investigation will be in the form of a secret court inquiry, J. D. Smith, district attorney said.

Assistant Attorney General Tabor was in Houston recently conferring with Smith on local gasoline prices. The price now is 18 cents a gallon.

'LIFER' PARDONED BY GOVERNOR OF OHIO

COLUMBUS, Ohio, Aug. 21.—Earl Jennings, serving a life sentence in the Ohio penitentiary for murder, was pardoned by Governor Vic Donahey today.

Jennings was one of the two prisoners who accompanied the governor on his recent fishing trip in Canada. He has been a chauffeur at the executive mansion since Governor Donahey took office.

AUTO BANDITS SHOOT SHERIFF IN INDIANA

BROOKFIELD, Ind., Aug. 20.—Sheriff William Van Camp, Franklin county, was shot to death by two automobile bandits near here today, according to word received at his office here.

The bandits were in a car believed stolen. It bore an Ohio license. They shot the sheriff when he attempted to stop them to examine the machine.

BANDITS HOLD UP STEAMSHIP OFFICE

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Cash totaling \$1,000 and 21 safety deposit boxes, believed to contain thousands of dollars in money and valuables were stolen by two armed bandits who held up the N. S. Salk and company steamship ticket agency and safety deposit box company here today.

WOMEN RE-MARRY OFTEN MORE THAN MEN

DES MOINES, Iowa, Aug. 21.—As a popular sport marriage is much more popular with women than with the male folk, according to records compiled by Leslie M. Deaton, jury clerk of the district court.

For the first half of July there were 80 marriages in this county and of this number 27 of the brides were getting their second husbands, while only 17 of the grooms were trying marital bliss for the second time.

COOLIDGE PUTS O. K. ON ACCORD

Recognition of Southern Republic Is Near
HUGHES IS AGREEABLE

Texasan May Be the U. S. Ambassador

By United Press.
WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Coolidge and Secretary Hughes have accepted the accord reached in the Mexico City conference between American and Mexican commissioners for a basis of resumption of diplomatic relations between the United States and Mexico, the United Press was informed on high authority here today.

Extension of American recognition to the Obregon government of Mexico and the details of complete agreement reached in the so-called "recognition conference" at the Mexican capital will be announced within a few days, according to this authority.

Announcements
Simultaneously announcements of the American-Mexican agreement and the extension of recognition will be made in Washington and Mexico City soon, it was said.

It is understood that the final details for the making of this announcement are now being worked out between Washington and Mexico City. Also, it is understood, a final exchange now is taking place between the two governments concerning a certain detail of the settlement, but it is declared there is no hitch in the negotiations.

Confers With Hughes
Charles B. Warren, one of the commissioners to the Mexican parley again today conferred with Hughes on the last minute details of the settlement. It was learned definitely today that Warren will not be the American ambassador to Mexico.

Warren expressed the desire of Mexico that he be the American envoy but he desires to return to his private business. K. B. Creager of Brownsville, Texas, today had a long conference with President Coolidge and it was understood that Creager may be the American ambassador to Mexico.

HOUSE BOMBED

15 Blown from Bed by Concussion
DETROIT, Mich., Aug. 21.—Fifteen persons, seven of them children, were blown from their beds but were uninjured when a bomb partially wrecked the house owned by Ignazio Manischi, here this morning. The bomb was thrown from a large touring car.

Texas Solon Barely Escapes House Fire

COLUMBUS, Texas, Aug. 21.—Representative J. J. Mansfield of the ninth Texas district, confined to a wheel chair with rheumatism, barely escaped with his life when his home was destroyed by fire here last night.

Congressman Mansfield, who was alone in the house at the time of the fire, was saved by neighbors who saw the blaze.

COAL COMBINE

Governor Bryan Will Sell Fuel
LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 21.—Governor Charles Bryan a brother of W. J. Bryan, today notified coal dealers that unless their prices are lowered he will furnish coal to the public at \$8.25 a ton and protect the public like in the "gasoline combine."

Bryan also directed his ultimatum at the Lincoln municipal coal yard.

ARSENATE USED ON COTTON KILLS QUAIL

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Aug. 21.—Arsenate of lead being used by farmers in their fight on the cotton worm, is killing quail by the thousands in Tennessee, according to reports reaching the commissioner of agriculture.

GENERALLY FAIR

LOCAL FORECAST: Tonight generally fair. Wednesday partly cloudy. FOR EAST TEXAS: Tonight generally fair. Wednesday partly cloudy. cooler in northwest portion.

FOR LOUISIANA: Tonight generally fair. Wednesday partly cloudy; local thunderstorms in southeast portion.

WINDS ON TEXAS COAST: Light to fresh southerly. Maximum temperature, 85; minimum temperature, 77; precipitation, 0.15.

Year ago today: Maximum temperature, 92; minimum temperature, 71. Sunrise tomorrow, 5:45 a. m. TIDE RECORD
Time of high and low water at Sabine Pass Light under normal conditions on Wednesday, Aug. 22: taken from tables prepared by the U. S. geodetic survey.
High tides 12:52 a. m., 12:24 p. m., Low tides 3:41 a. m., 7:27 p. m.